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Jamie,
Hey Girl!
How's it goin'?
Well I really had
a lot of fun at camp
with you and Amanda!
It will be even more fun in practice
learning all of your cheers!! Well I hope
you have a great year!!!

Love ya,
Catia '97

JAMIE!!!
Last year was so fun
and we're so glad we became
friends! You did such a
super good job and so did
were taking this class together. Ha!
I hope we become even better friends!
Yea! You're a great SOPHOMORE
SENIORS
1988

Jami,
How's it going?
Well, I've known you
so long, and it always
been great. You're so nice
and such a good friend.
Have a great sophmore year.

Love,
Jodi

Aww ie, you are
Hey! You are
great friend! maybe
we will get to double
date sometime! & Have
a fun year!

Belinda

Jami,
You are
a great friend
forget me. Don't ever
great year stay wild
Love ya tonz,
Theresa

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It finally arrived. Monday morning. Time to put on the dreaded polyester.

Memories of the first day of school bring back thoughts of academic resolutions, looking forward to the newness of a school year, as well as a farewell to the carefree months of summer.

Students strolled across the plaza in recent purchases made at St. Agnes rather than Northpark. Elementary school boys greeted their new teachers in blue pants and white shirts and girls in plaid jumpers or skirts.

High school elevators moved to the 11th floor full of girls in white oxfords and plaid skirts and guys in gray "chapel dress" slacks, white shirts and their uniform ties. Many students were even prepared for the overly efficient air conditioning system and sported their new cardigans.

For elementary students everything was new to them, new teachers, new lunchtime, new classrooms. Even a new outlook — through the windows which had been installed over the summer.

High school students, however, noted changes not in classmates or teachers, but in a complete renovation of their surroundings. The main hall had been enlarged. The Saint Center also was changed. Windows were added all around which caused the Saint Center to be likened to a fishbowl.

Not only did the student body begin wearing uniforms, but the drill team also went in for a new look. Although their uniforms came in later than expected, "It was worth the wait!!" commented Swirlette lieutenant, Allison Loeb.

Swirlettes Cara Howe and Shelly Gunter proudly wear their uniforms for the first time.

New student, Mark Taylor, walks down the newly widened hallway.

Sharon Riffe reads the Times Herald's article about F.B.A.'s uniform phenomenon.

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Nancy Dickert and Gary Keester, Seniors, arrive on the first day of school in their new uniforms.

Dr. Criswell kneels to pray at the prayer chapel dedication.

The flag corps salutes the Saints in their performance at the Homecoming pep rally.

he Leadership Conference — "It made me realize that I have a responsibility as a leader." — LAUREL KAYSE

Several weeks before school started, the leaders from every organization attended a leadership conference at Camp Copass. This conference, the first of its kind, was led by Dr. and Mrs. Patterson and emphasized the responsibility that Christian leaders have.

Soon after school started, the first school store opened. The school is sponsored by the student council and is provided as a service to the students.

The first week of school, the students received a new, redone copy of the *FIRST BAPTIST ACADEMY CHRONICLE*. Everyone was impressed with its consistency and professionalism.

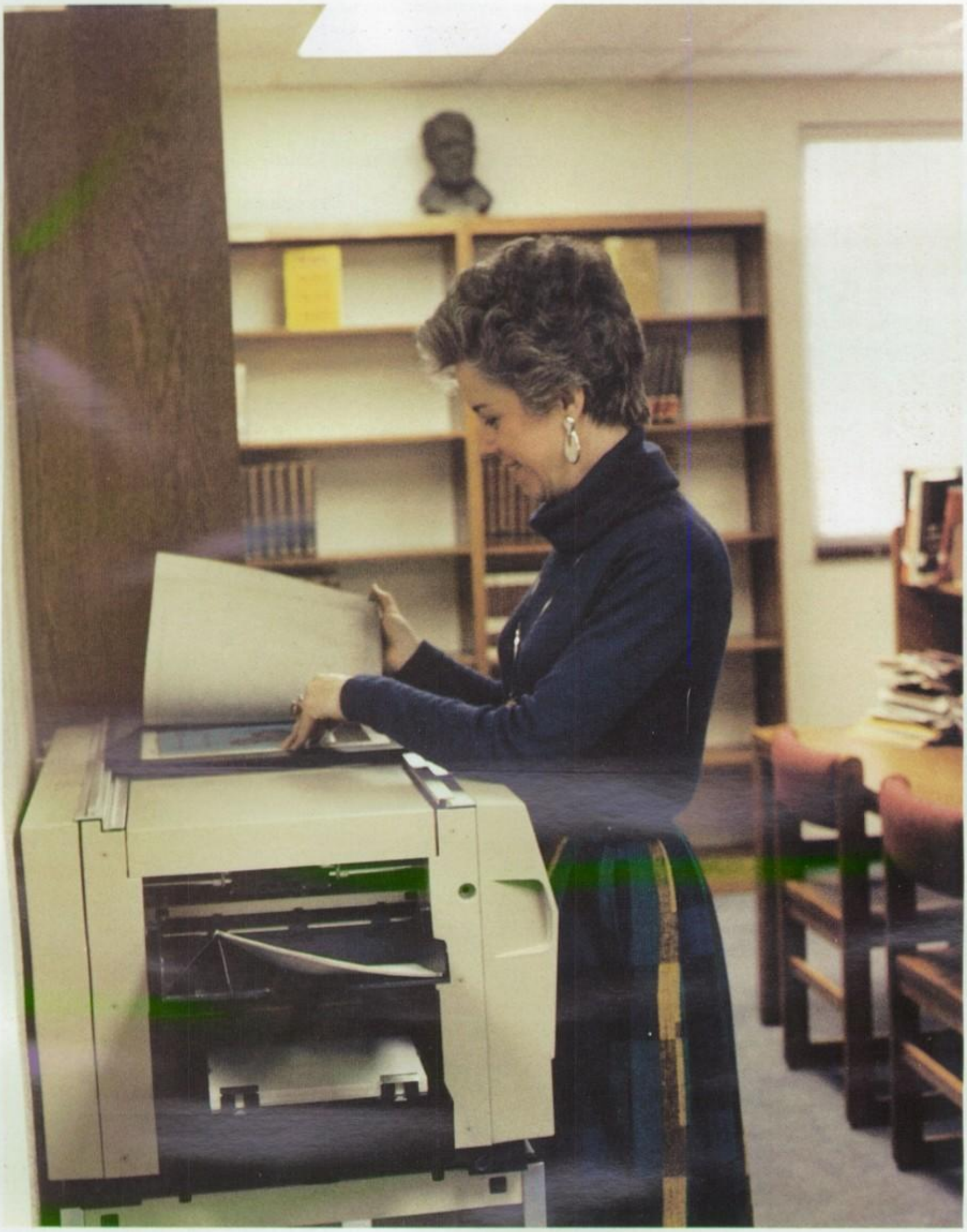
A new organization came into existence this year. It was the eight-member flag corps. This new division of the band gave a great performance for the first time at the Homecoming pep rally.

Another new addition to the eleventh floor was the prayer chapel given by the graduating class of 1986. Dr. Criswell dedicated the chapel at the alumni reception of Homecoming afternoon.

Many changes have taken place. Everything seems so different. When embarking on each new experience, though, there is a sense of unity among the students, parents, and faculty. All of the teams, the organizations, the faculty and the students have changed for the better and have stuck together through the changes. Even when things get rough, we know that

"WE'RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER."

Senior Heather Pretlove demonstrates why the Saint Center is called a "fishbowl."



Helping out in the library, Miss Isbell grades papers on the side.

The joys of teaching include preparing the ever-changing bulletin board.

Sample cases earn a smile from Miss Isbell as she reads from the law school SAT book.

Helping out in the library, Miss Isbell grades papers on the side.

Although there is no doubt that her reputation at the Academy is that of a tough teacher, she is genuinely interested in teaching material that will prepare students for real life.

She has earned the respect and love of her students because she is dedicated and truly cares about them. She will not be returning to our school next year and will be greatly missed.

It is with much love and best wishes that the 1987 *Cornerstone* staff dedicates this volume to . . .

Cissy Isbell

Seniors Randy Rogers and Paul Wilson discuss life as they lounge in the office.

Senior Andrew Embry can't stand to be away from Sharon Riffe for a minute!

MEN

Juniors Wendi Shaw, Liza Roeser, Liz Bell and Julie Payne sport the latest fashions from St. Aggie's.

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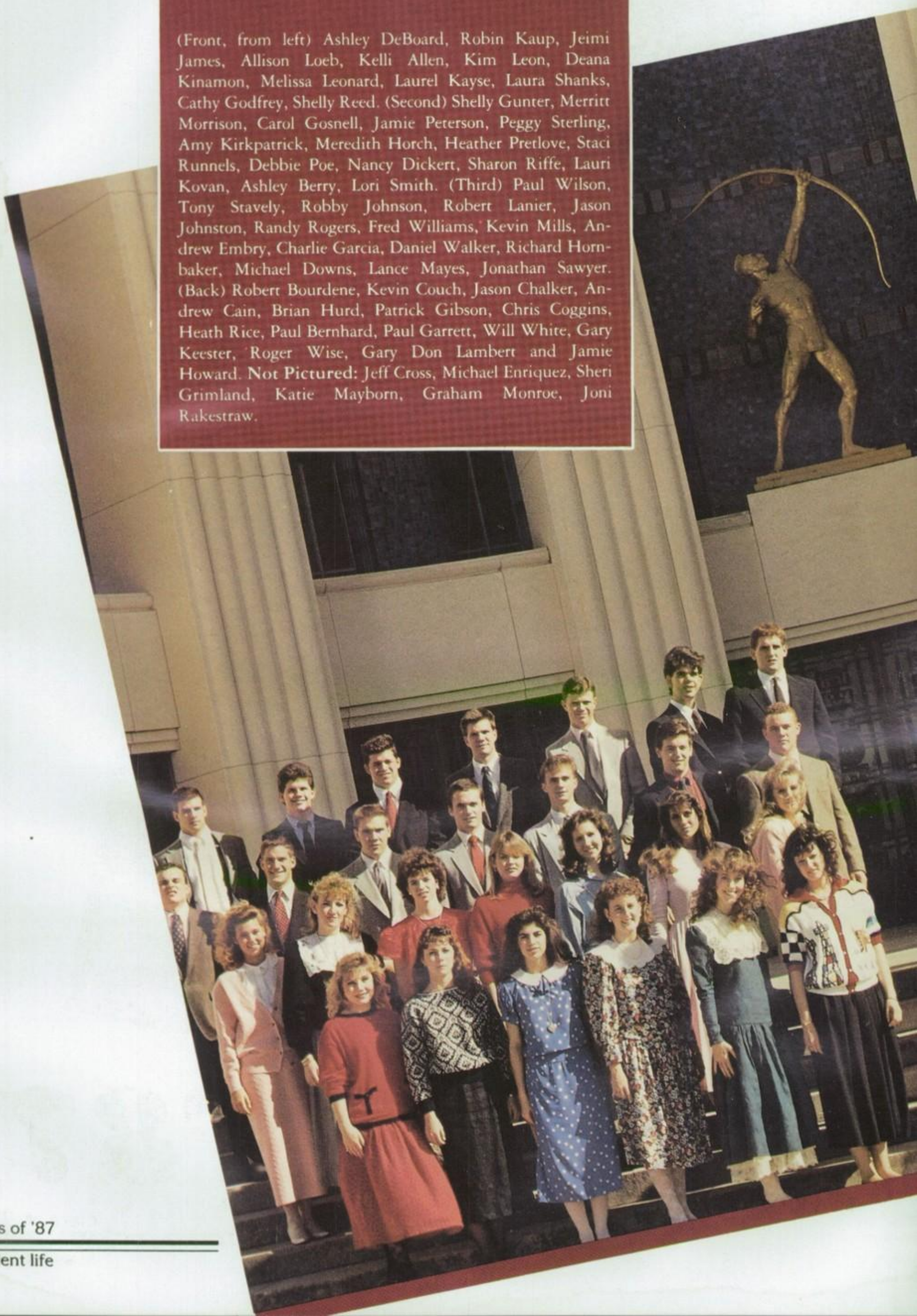
The Senior Class

(Front, from left) Ashley DeBoard, Robin Kaup, Jeimi James, Allison Loeb, Kelli Allen, Kim Leon, Deana Kinamon, Melissa Leonard, Laurel Kayse, Laura Shanks, Cathy Godfrey, Shelly Reed. (Second) Shelly Gunter, Merritt Morrison, Carol Gosnell, Jamie Peterson, Peggy Sterling, Amy Kirkpatrick, Meredith Horch, Heather Pretlove, Staci Runnels, Debbie Poe, Nancy Dickert, Sharon Riffe, Lauri Kovan, Ashley Berry, Lori Smith. (Third) Paul Wilson, Tony Stavely, Robby Johnson, Robert Lanier, Jason Johnston, Randy Rogers, Fred Williams, Kevin Mills, Andrew Embry, Charlie Garcia, Daniel Walker, Richard Hornbaker, Michael Downs, Lance Mayes, Jonathan Sawyer. (Back) Robert Bourdene, Kevin Couch, Jason Chalker, Andrew Cain, Brian Hurd, Patrick Gibson, Chris Coggins, Heath Rice, Paul Bernhard, Paul Garrett, Will White, Gary Keester, Roger Wise, Gary Don Lambert and Jamie Howard. **Not Pictured:** Jeff Cross, Michael Enriquez, Sheri Grimland, Katie Mayborn, Graham Monroe, Joni Rakestraw.



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WE ALL FALL DOWN. At the summer leadership conference, Miss Fary and various student leaders play games.

JUNIORS HAVE SPIRIT. As they enjoy football pep rallies, Juniors show class pride and spirit.

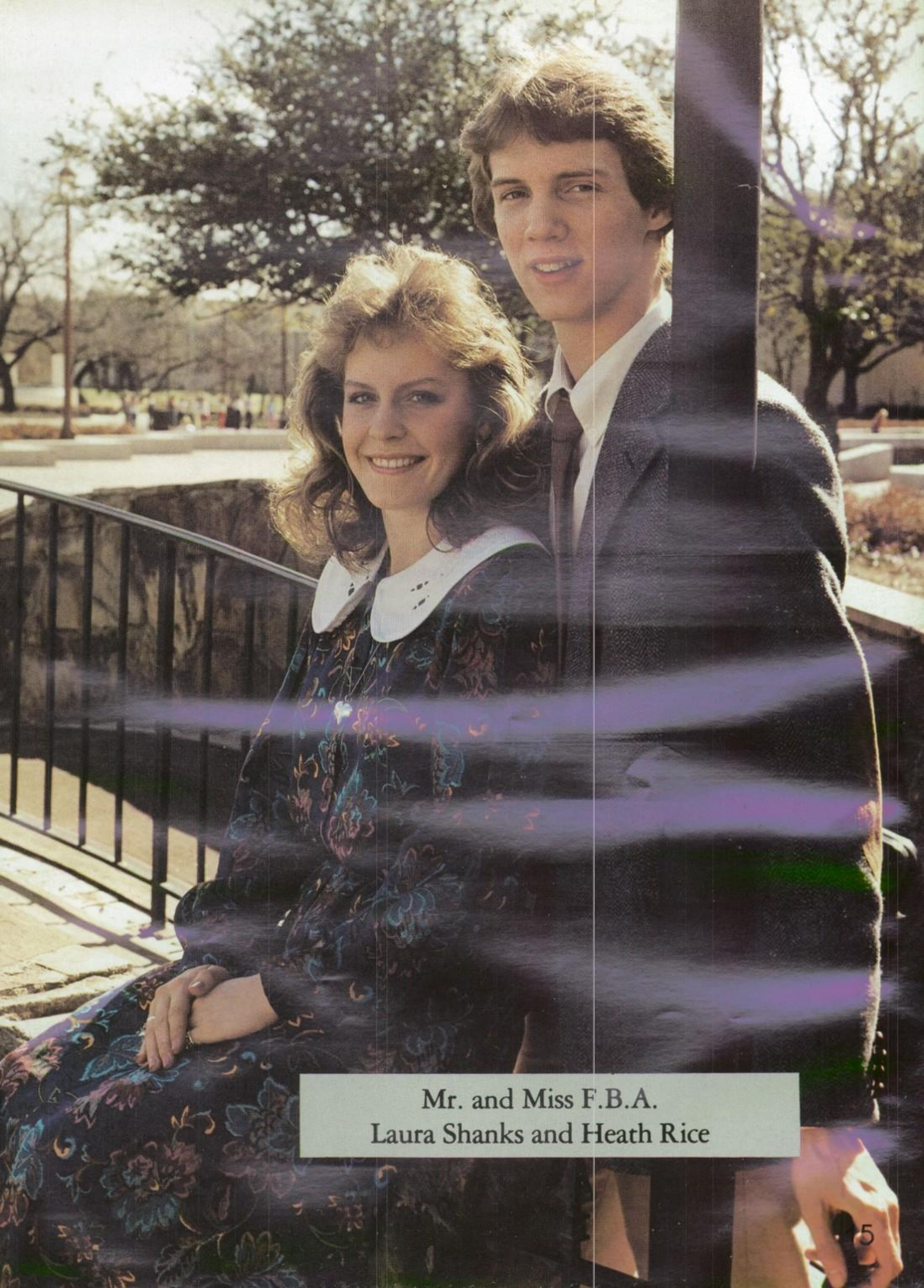
NUMBER 1. Cheerleader sponsors Vicki Palmer, Glenda Talkington, and Pam Hollingsworth cheer their girls on at summer cheerleader camp.

CHEMISTRY CHOIR. Chemistry students enjoy a sing along with Mr. Armstrong.

PICTURE PERFECT. Senior Homecoming Nominee, Amy Kirkpatrick, takes one last look in the mirror before stepping across the football field.

DISASTER STRIKES. After having a small accident, Sharon Riffe tries to remove pen ink from her hands.

Senior Class Favorites
Cathy Godfrey and Andrew Embry



Mr. and Miss F.B.A.
Laura Shanks and Heath Rice

Freshman Class Favorites

A five year veteran, **Jami Smith** lists cheerleading and going out with her friends as her favorite activities. She feels that since FBA is a small school the closeness of the student body is a real advantage.
Todd Scott enjoys being on the football team and also watching the varsity games. The thing he likes most about the school is the Christian atmosphere and the friendliness of the people. This is Todd's second year at the Academy.

Sophomore Class Favorites

Although she has been at FBA only two years, **Ashley Scott** is involved in volleyball, FCA, Spanish Club, and Young Life. Ashley likes the idea that the kids try to live close to the Lord here.
Andy Kovan who has attended FBA for six years, enjoys the friendly atmosphere of the students and teachers at FBA. He likes to go to basketball games as well as play in them. When not in school, Andy enjoys hunting and photography.

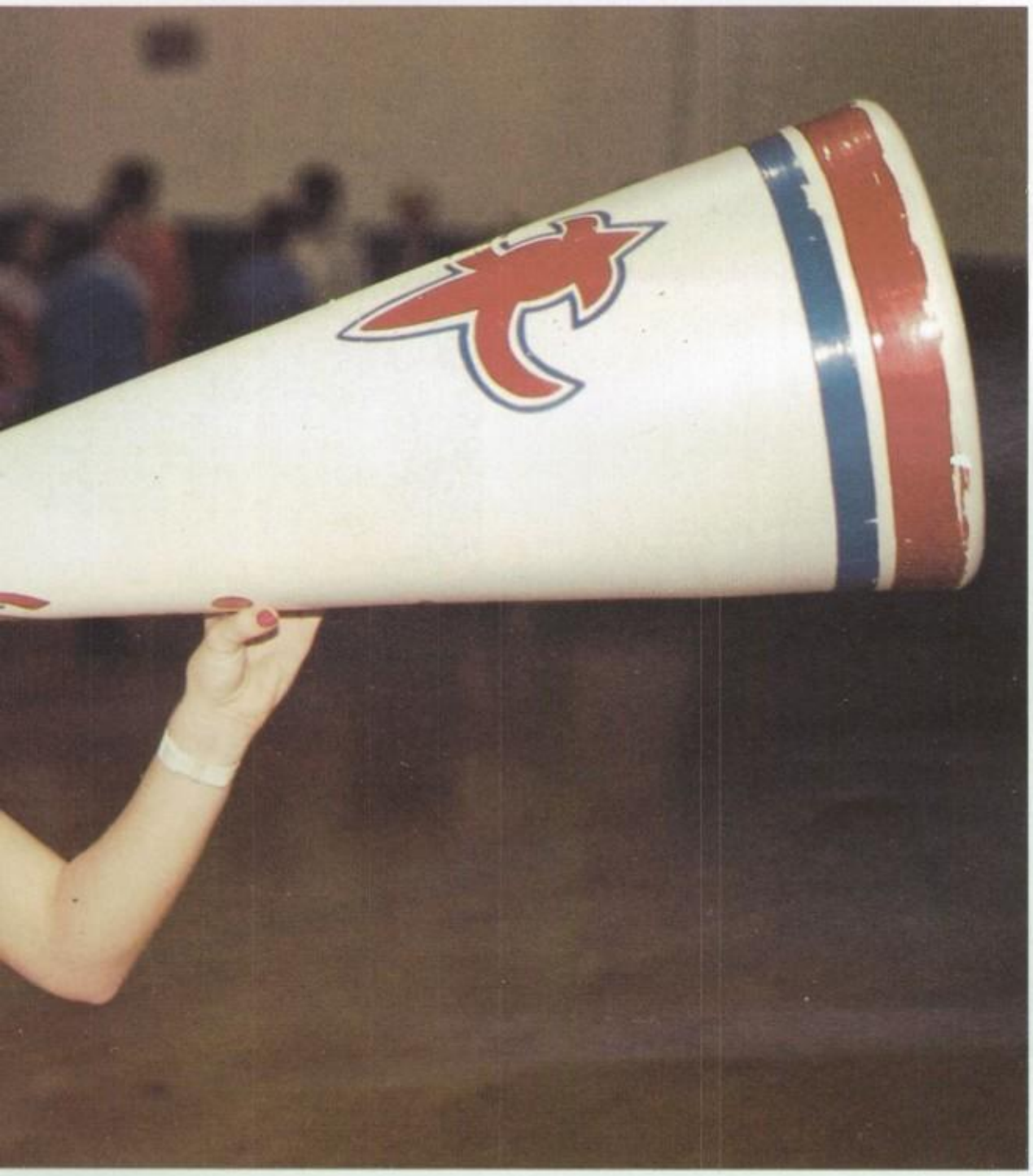
Junior Class Favorites

Kim Wilson has attended FBA since kindergarten. She is involved in cheerleading, Spanish Club, FCA and on the Yearbook Staff. The thing she enjoys most about FBA is the closeness of all the people in her class. "We are all one big family."

An avid Saints basketball fan and an eleven year veteran at FBA, **Bob Beasley** spends most of his free time learning karate. In Bob's opinion the Christian influence at school is the best aspect of FBA.

Confused with concern, Coach Hines, Mrs. Finski, and Dr. Estes decide what to do about detentions.

Chemistry students, Todd Young, Mary Green, and Matt Bryant prepare for their next experiment.



Listening for Saint Spirit, senior Kelli Allen waits for the roar of the crowd.

Confronting Paul about the car, his mother, Mrs. Wilson and sister, Kim, were shocked to hear that he had wrecked it again.

Helping lieutenant Becky Burnett, senior lieutenant Allison Loeb adjusts her mum.

NOTHING SHORT OF VICTORY

would do on homecoming afternoon for the team, the students, the alumni, the home crowd.

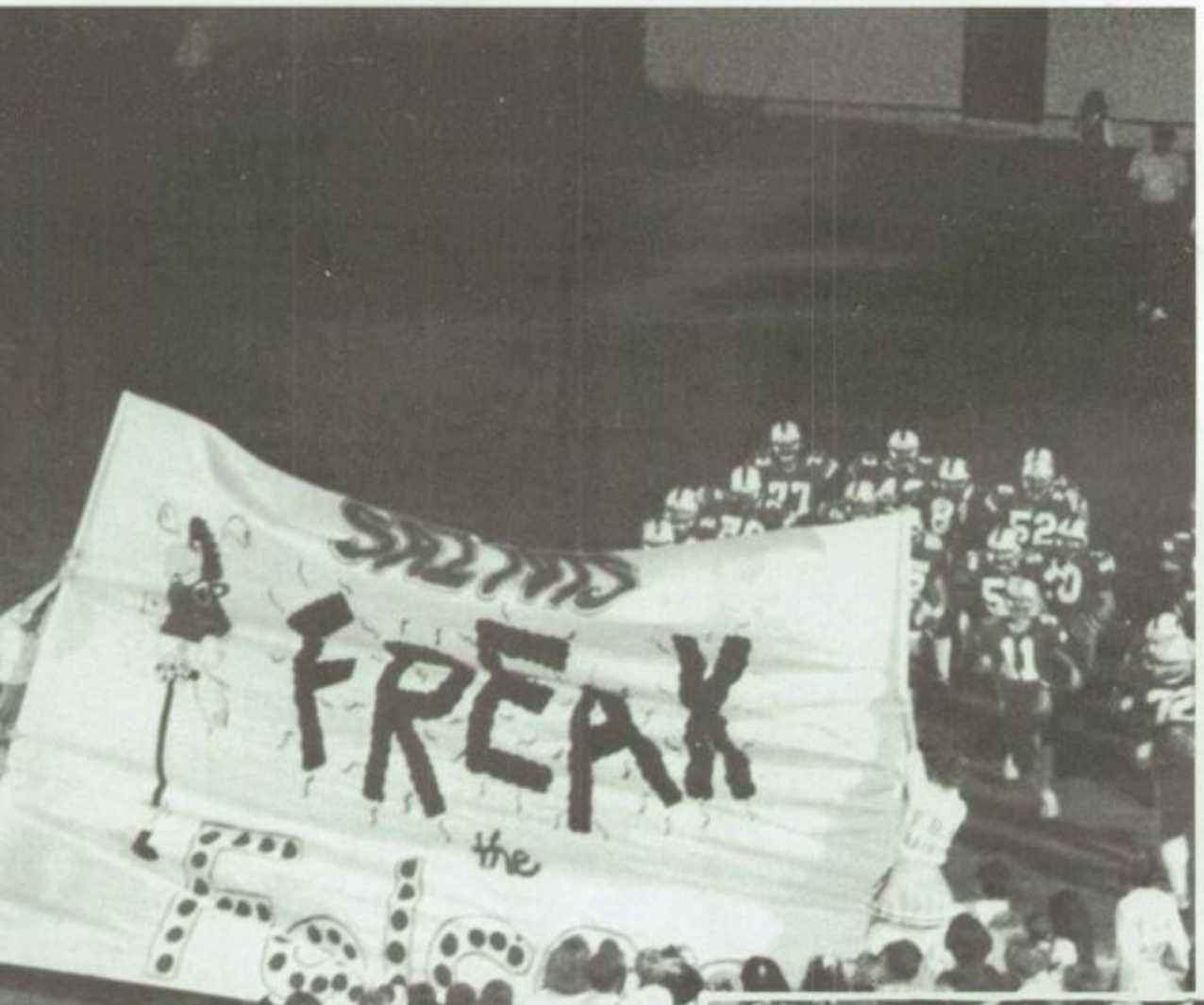
The stands were full as the Saints defeated Garland Christian 14-7.

The stands were not so full during halftime when friends and family members of the court littered the field with their cameras and video equipment. Alumni visited old friends and teachers, and almost all of the fans flooded the field for the halftime spirit line.

Third grader Patti Downey watches Homecoming festivities dressed in Saint colors and her homecoming mum.

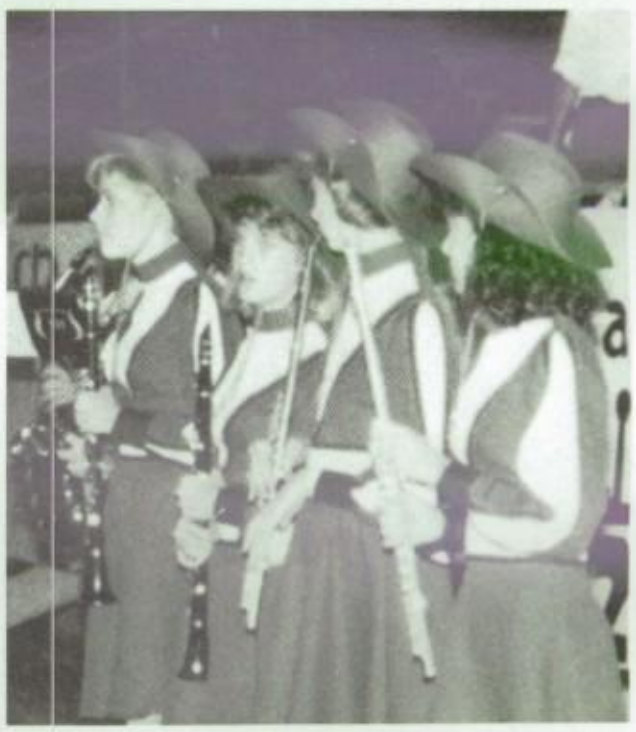
Resting her smile, Robin Kaup poses with friends, Amy Kirkpatrick and Lauri Kovan.

Braced on the back of the Excalibur, Sharon Riffe begins her reign as Homecoming Queen.



Ready and waiting. The Saints' fans anticipate the breaking of the sign.

To Thee we are true . . . The varsity cheerleaders and Flaghangers lead the crowd in singing the school song.



The Flag corps awaits its first field performance with nervous anticipation.

Senior nominees and escorts strain their facial muscles as they wait for the last flash to go off.

Senior nominee, Sharon Riffe, was escorted by her father, Mr. Pete Riffe.

Senior nominee, Robin Kaup, was escorted by her brother, Jason Kaup.

Senior nominee, Deana Kinamon, was escorted by her father, Mr. Buddy Kinamon.

Senior nominee, Amy Kirkpatrick, was escorted by her father, Mr. Kenton Kirkpatrick.

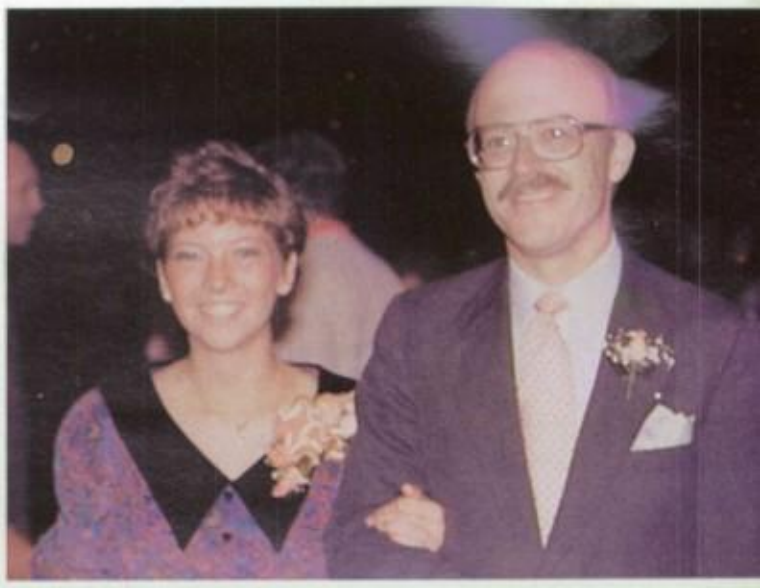
Homecoming festivities include more than football

Homecoming, a party traditionally thrown by the student council, included an emphasis on alumni activities this year. The prayer chapel which had been recently completed during the remodeling of the high school was dedicated during a special alumni reception.

The prayer chapel was completed at the request of the class of '86 as part of their senior gift. More than 40 First Baptist alumni registered for the reception. Dr. Criswell was also present to give the dedicatory prayer.

As always, homecoming itself focused on the football game. Alumna, Buffie Beazley relinquished her crown to senior, Sharon Riffe, during the halftime festivities. Senior nominees Robin Kaup, Deana Kinamon, and Amy Kirkpatrick, junior Julie Payne, sophomore Ashley Scott, and freshman Jamie Smith and their escorts proceeded through a line formed by the F.B.A. Flag Corps in its premier field appearance.

The football team did its part in making Homecoming successful by defeating Garland Christian 14-7.



Escorted by headmaster, Mr. Fred Lively, Buffie Beazley relinquishes her crown to Sharon Riffe.

Senior, Robert Lanier, chauffeurs newly crowned Homecoming Queen, Sharon Riffe, around the football field.

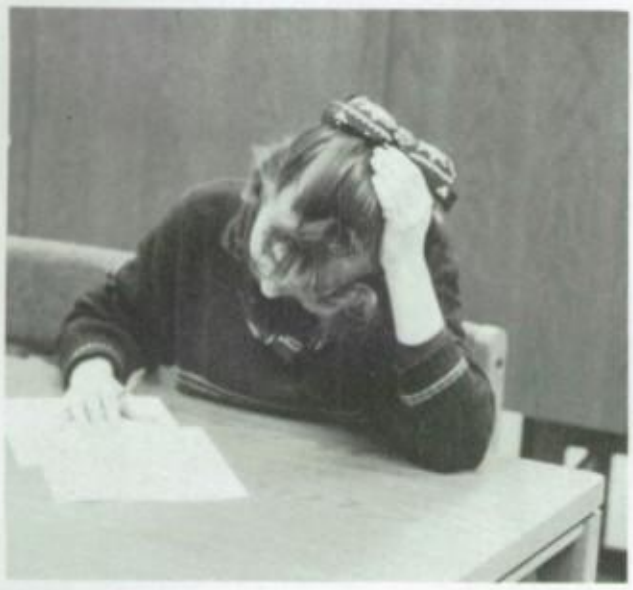
Junior attendant, Julie Payne, was escorted by her father, Mr. Jerry Payne.

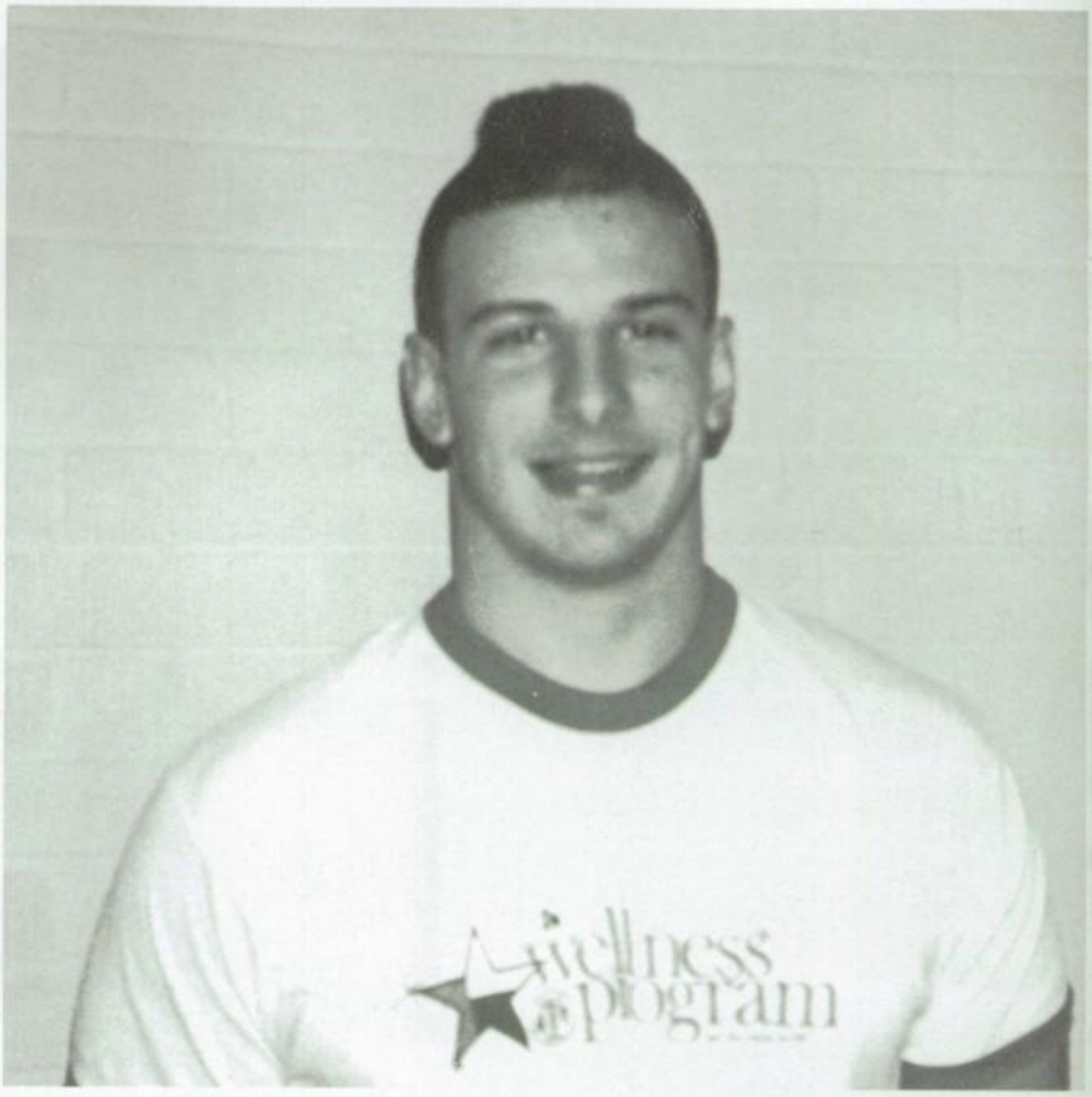
Sophomore attendant, Ashley Scott, was escorted by her father, Mr. Steve Scott.

Freshman attendant, Jamie Smith, was escorted by her father, Mr. Joe Marchman.

FBA's answer to Mr. T is "Mr. B" — senior Robert Bourdene.

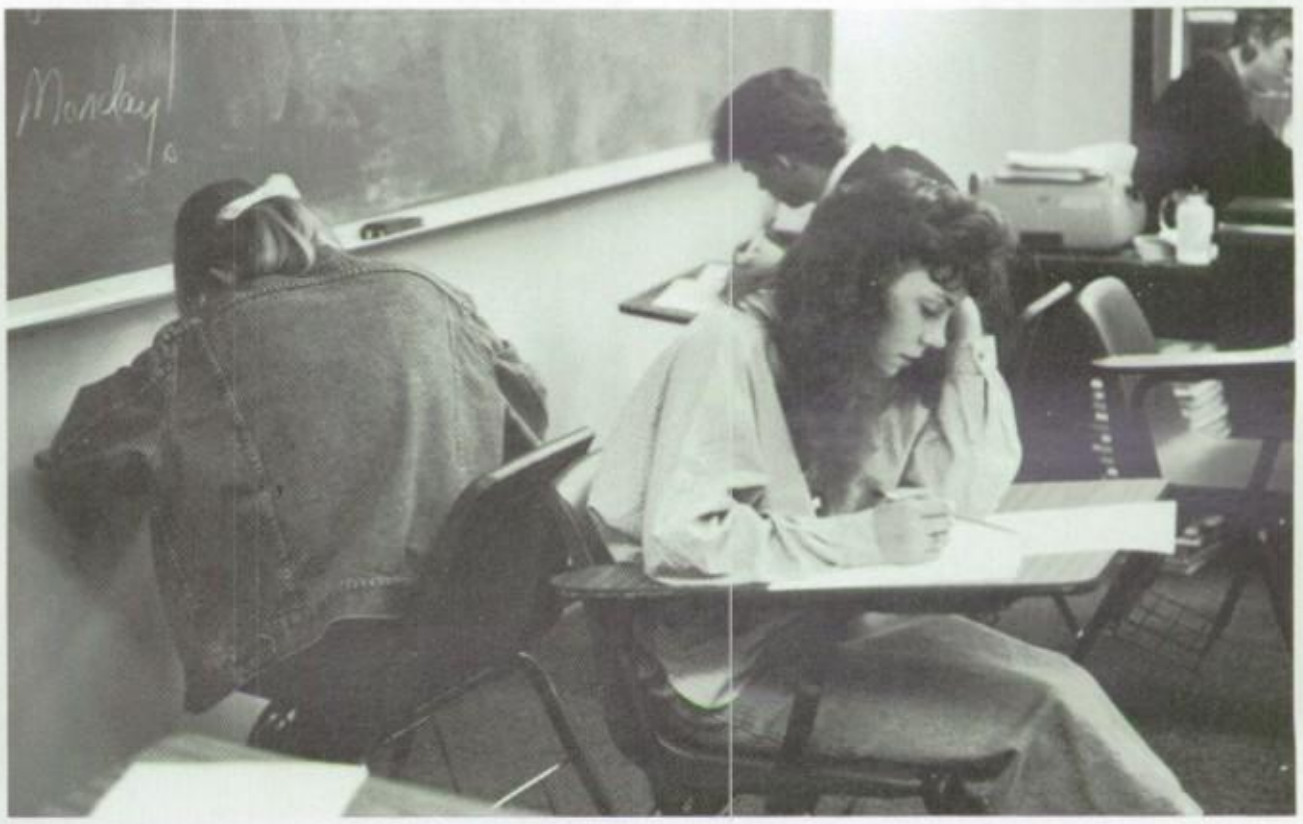
Sneaking away to the library, senior Laurel Kayse spends a few quiet moments studying.





Office aides, Randy Rogers and Paul Wilson, laugh in the face of danger — 4½ tons of athletic equipment to be carried across the street.

Librarian Janice Shanks gives her introduction to the library for the seventh graders.



Trying to finish her Economics test before the bell, senior Robin Kaup searches her brain for the correct answer.

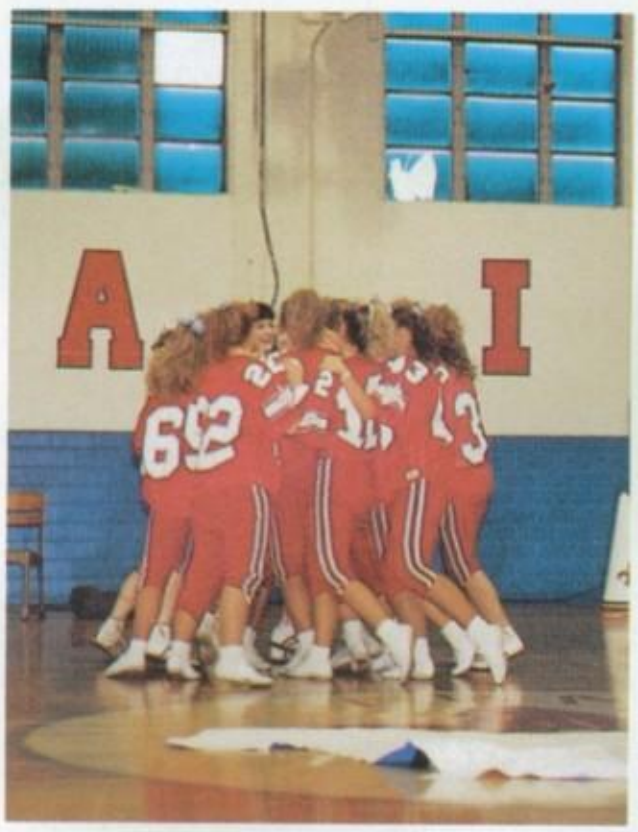
Finishing her notecards, sophomores Michell Kennedy, Lisa Sammons, Cathy Blackshear, and Kathryn Hogan get a head start on their research papers.

We're #1 Sophomores, Thomas Thompson, Todd Newsome, Kelly Holder, and Sonja McGill flaunt their prestigious spirit stick.

Gimme An S Cheerleaders get fans fired up

Lights, Camera, confusion BBC camera men film pep rally

Girls just want to have fun Sr. Girls huddle at the end of their pep rally routine



Bursts of cheers were heard from the students as the band played "When the Saints Go Marching In." Excited cheerleaders and anxious Swirlettes awaited the entrance of the teams.

Student coordination was tested during the first pep rally when the crowd learned, "Clap Your Hands Everybody." The cheer not only caught on in the secondary school, but also the Kindergarten. After mastering in the clapping sequence, Kindergarteners showed off in front of everybody. The stands loved them.

Another surprise came in the middle of the year, bringing excitement along with confusion. The school was filmed for a documentary in England, and the film crew wanted to film an F.B.A. pep rally. "They got in the way of everything," said varsity cheerleader, Laura Shanks.

SQUISH SQUASH SQUAD Varsity football team piles on Coach Hernandez.

"TO GOD BE THE GLORY" Flaghangers and cheerleaders sing school song with enthusiasm.

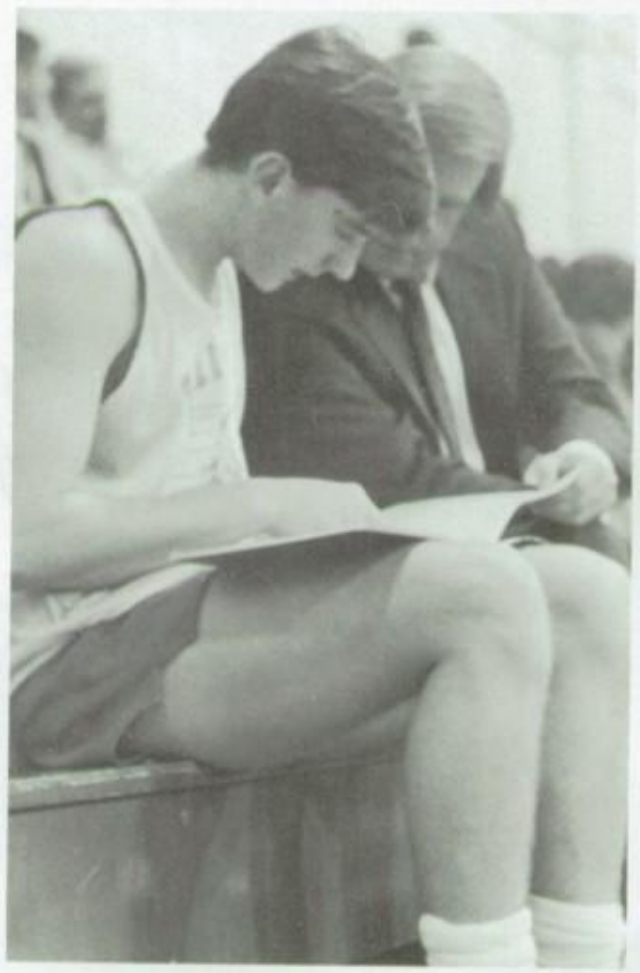
THE EVIL EYE Deanna gives last minute instruction to Sophomores Leslie Farley and Jenny Marion.

Saints fans form a spirit line to cheer on their team.

Even high schoolers support their Jr. High teams as shown by Sophomores Fabian Ryans, Andy Kovan, Kelly Holder, and Freshman Jami Smith.

Chris Messick receives some on-the-sideline advice from Mr. Deaton.

Freshman Jennifer Roeser enjoys the company of Sophomores as all take a break from an intense game to pose for a picture.



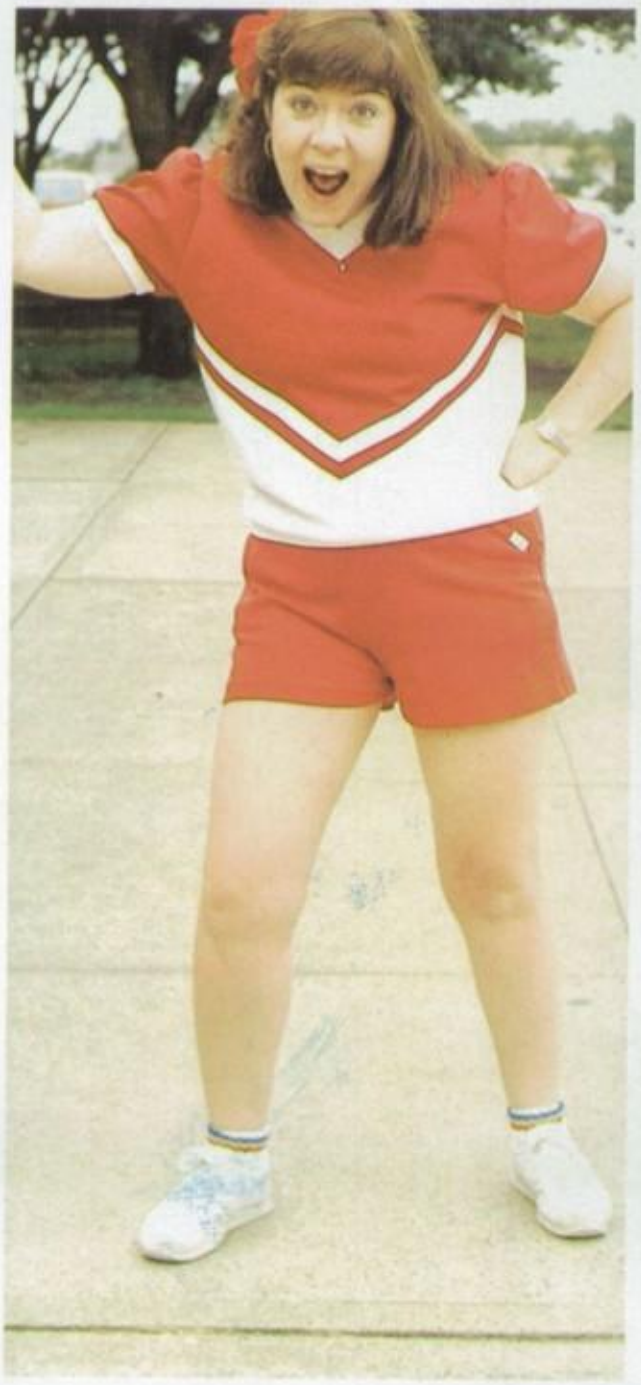
The McKim family spurs on their team while Little McKim marches to the beat of a different drummer.

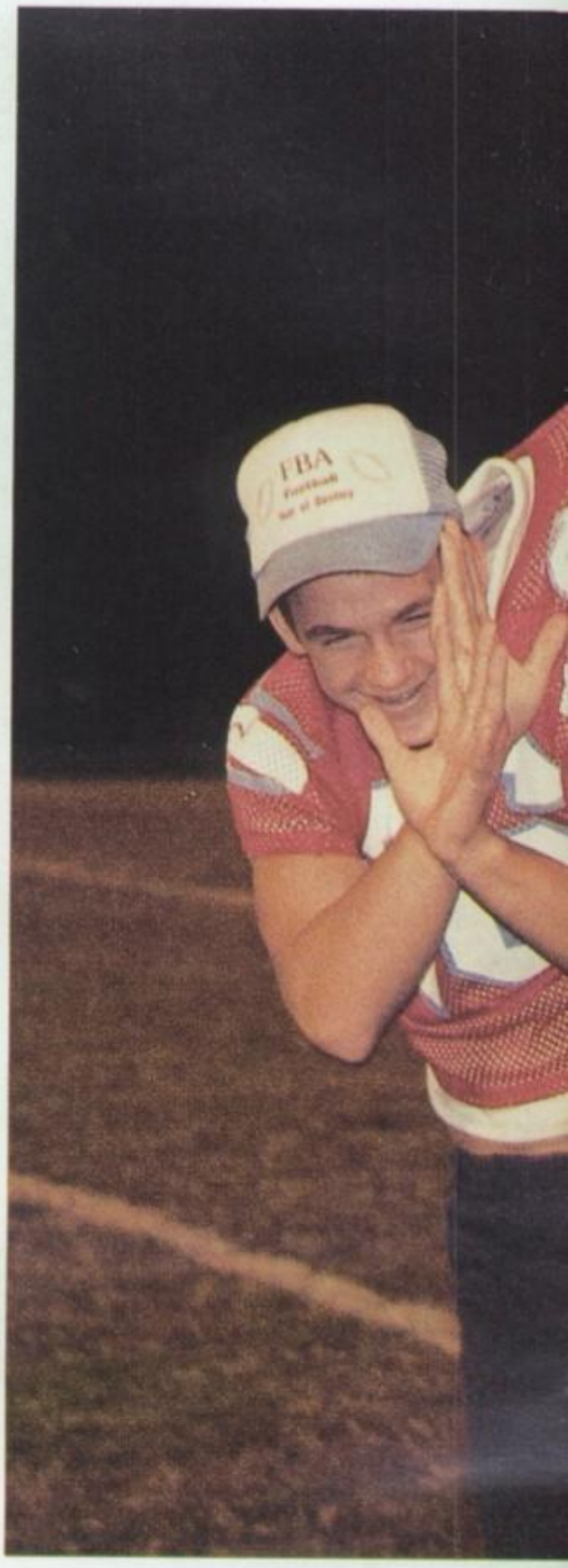
Juniors Stephen Black and Craven Coates flank Coach Pittman's little buddy, Willie, as all three give the status of the Saints.

Coach Joel Pittman discusses game strategy with Mess-up and Swooze.

Seventh grader Ashley Ferguson recuperates during an intense Jr. High game.

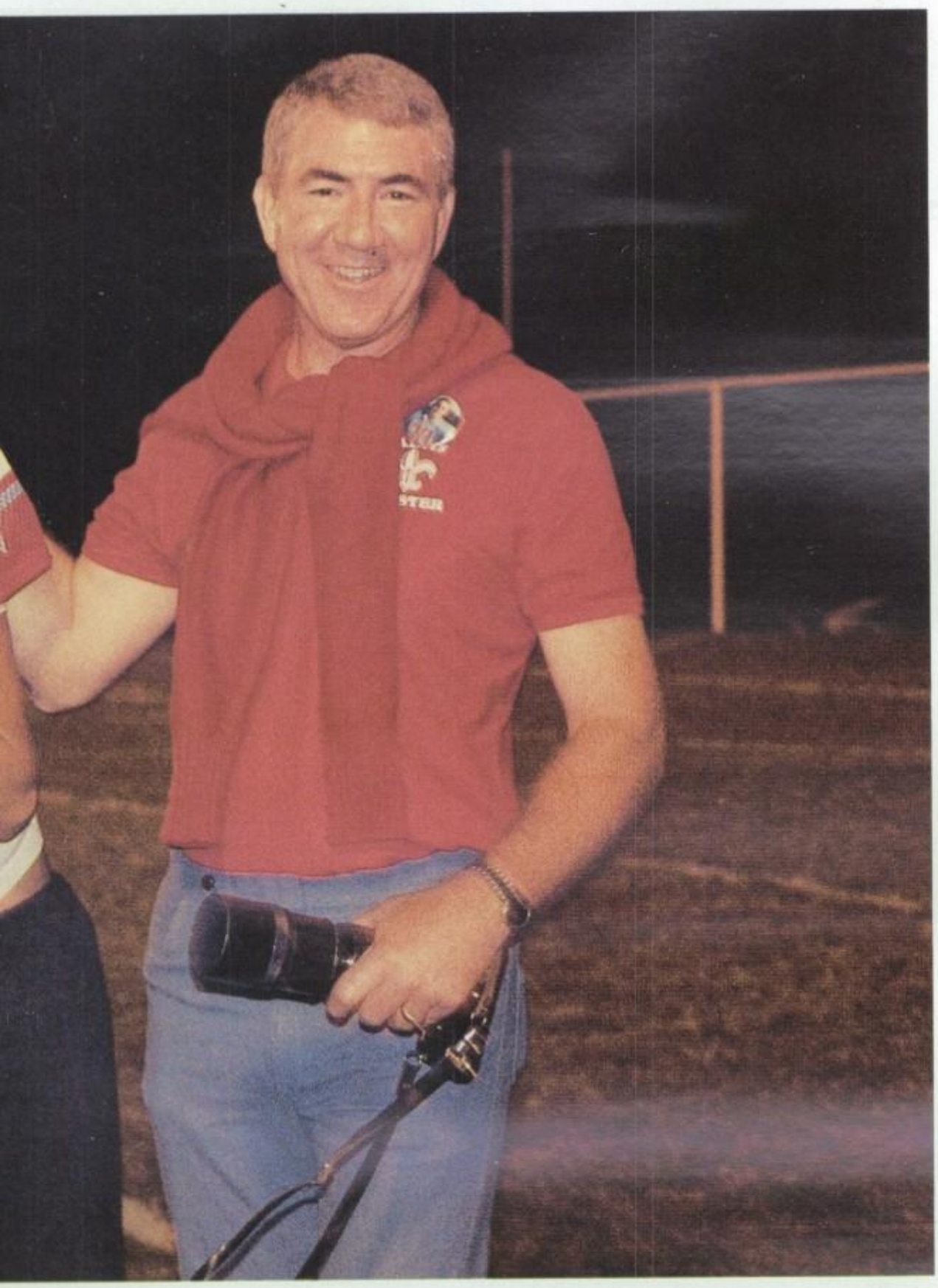
Rah, Rah, Rah! J.V. sponsor Mrs. Palmer prepares to yell for her Saints.





Using study hall wisely, seniors Gary Don Lambert and Kevin Mills finish some last minute homework.

Posing for GQ, senior Paul Wilson sneaks a peak at the camera during a Saint pep rally.



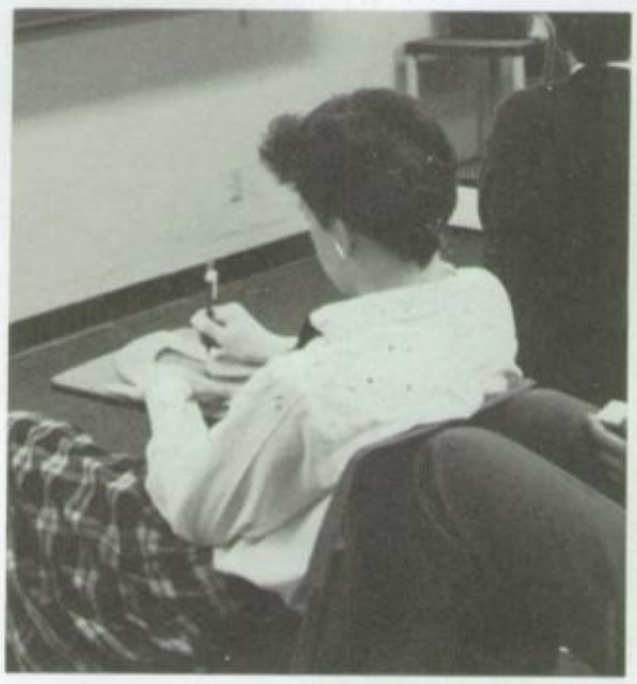
Shielding himself from harm, junior Charles Pokladnik prepares for Dr. Williams to ring his neck.

Dozing off in class, sophomore Andy Goznell catches a few Z's during class.

Pressure's on, getting higher, difference is junior Steve Black stays Dryer.

What? What? What? What? Senior Peggy Sterling and freshman LaJuana Edwards join in during Saints' spirit chant.

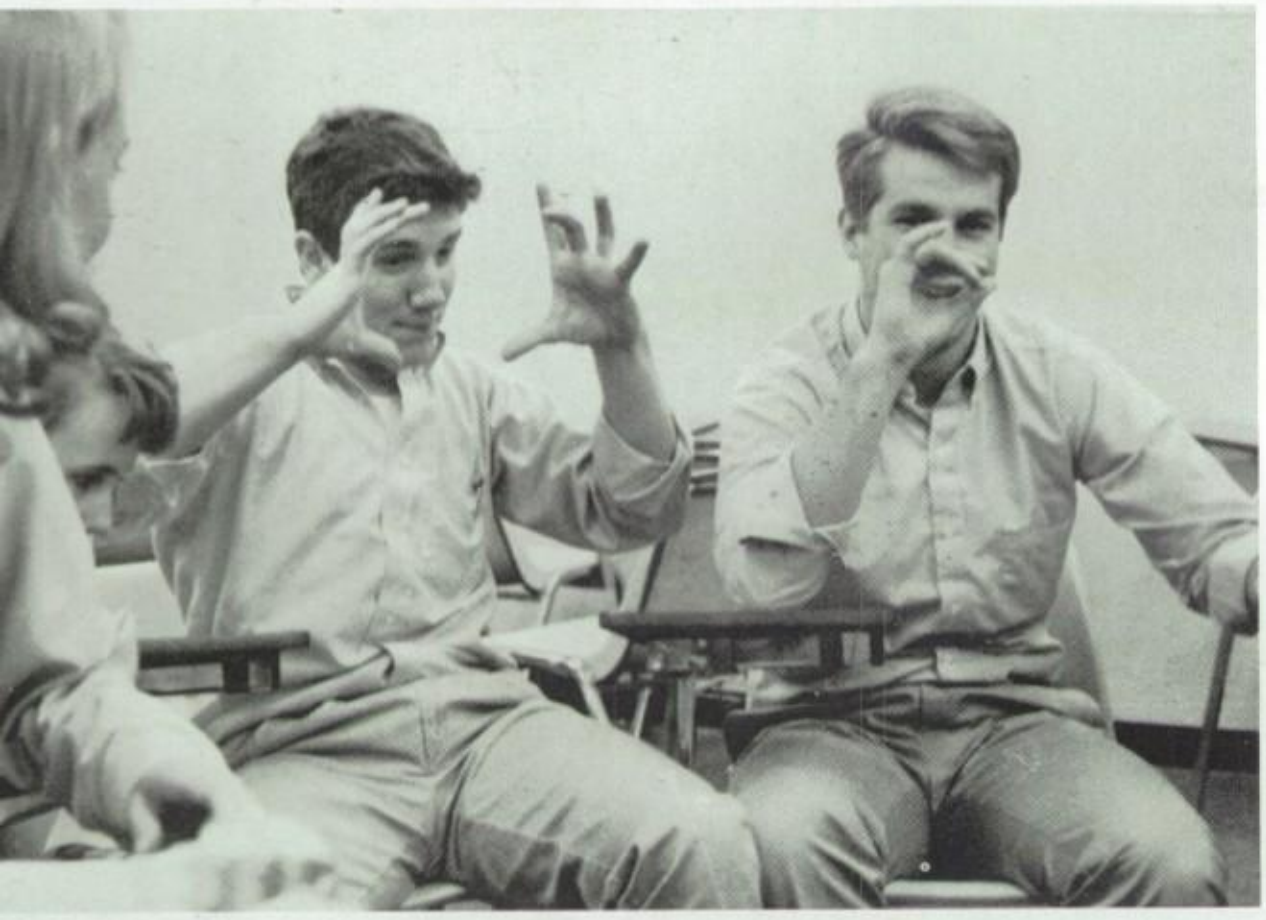
NOW THAT'S TALENT? Senior, Heath Rice displays his beautiful masterpiece in art class.



FRESH OUT OF PAPER Erica Bookman concentrates more on her desk than her Algebra class.

SPREAD THE WORD Freshmen, Angela Lowery and Deana Fisher congregate around the lockers and gossip before lunch.

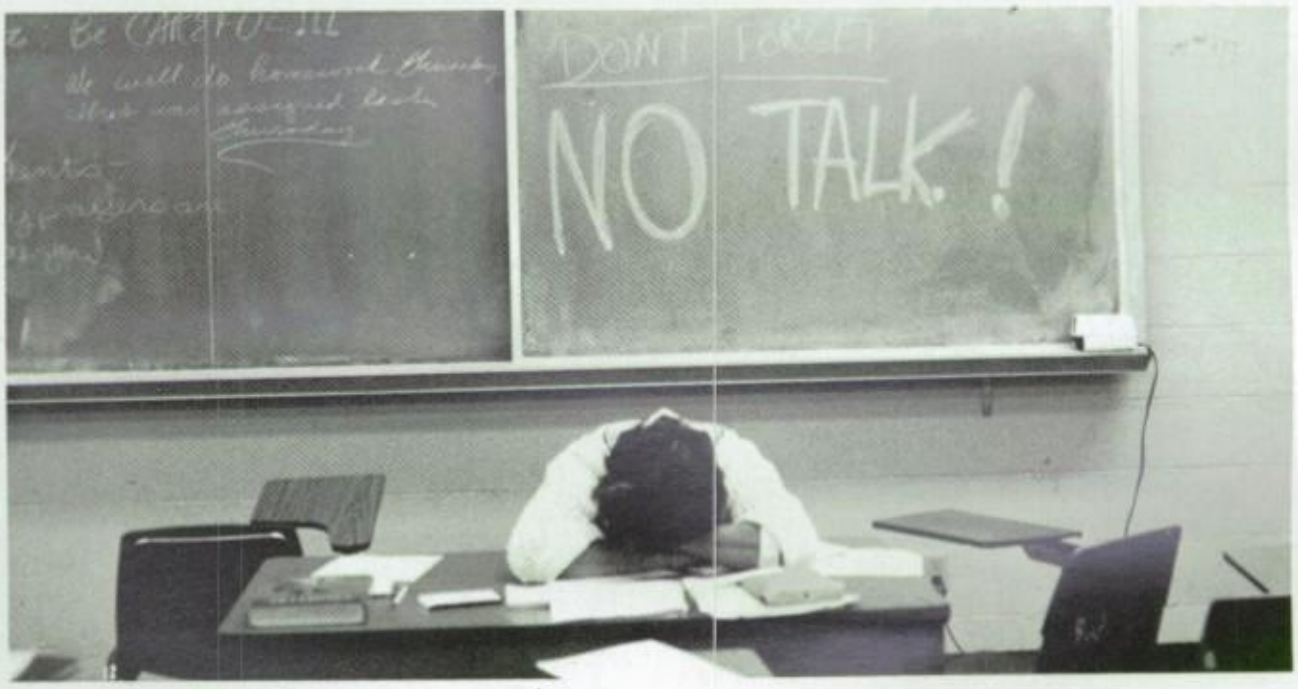
PEEK-A-BOO Due to the frustration of term papers and poinsettia sales, Junior Julie Payne takes an overdue break.



BIG PLANS! Juniors, Jason Petty and Keith Youngblood describe for the rest of the Junior-Senior committee their ideas for the banquets entertainment.

FUTURE DOCTORS OF AMERICA Jamie Howard gives his opinion of Randy Rogers' surgical talents in Biology II class.

NAP TIME! Mrs. Snell uses Study Hall for more than just studying.



STRATEGY MEETING Juniors, Skooter, Toddler, Ema, and Cave Man discuss plans for the approaching State games in Waco.

Seniors rock back to the fifties

In a flashback to the fifties, the class of '87 recreated one of the most popular musical productions, *Bye Bye Birdie*.

Slicked back hair, saddle shoes, ponytails and poodle skirts covered the stage at Ralph Baker Hall as 48 seniors portrayed the stories of Rose Alvarez, Albert Peterson and musical sensation, Conrad Birdie, and their adventures in Sweet Apple, Ohio.

A full-scale musical production, complete with choreography, *Bye Bye Birdie* required hours of work from the largest-ever senior cast. Not only did the principles slave over their lines and their music but the chorus practiced their songs and steps over and over for musical numbers like "Kids," "The Telephone Song," and "Gotta Lot of Livin'."

While singing and dancing took work, screaming at Conrad like star-struck teenagers while he sang "one Last Kiss" came naturally.

Although it was embarrassing, it was a lot of fun fainting at the sound of Conrad's voice in the county courthouse scene," said Kelli Allen, the Mayor's wife.

All the hard work paid off in the form of a great production and lots of memories. "My favorite part was when Cathy Godfrey (Gloria Rasputin) broke her shoe on Saturday night," recalls Jason Chalker, Albert Peterson.

"I loved seeing the hours of hard work pay off," said Judy Kayse, director. "When the class of '87 saw what I had known all along — that they could sing, dance and remember lines, and most of all that together they could come together and get it together."

Rose Alverez (Deana Kinamon) daydreams about her life with her "One Special Guy."

Gloria Rasputin (Cathy Godfrey) asks Mrs. Peterson (Allison Loeb) for help as she auditions to the tune of "Swanee River."

Mr. and Mrs. MacAffee (Patrick Gibson and Sharon Riffe) are concerned about their "modern" daughter.

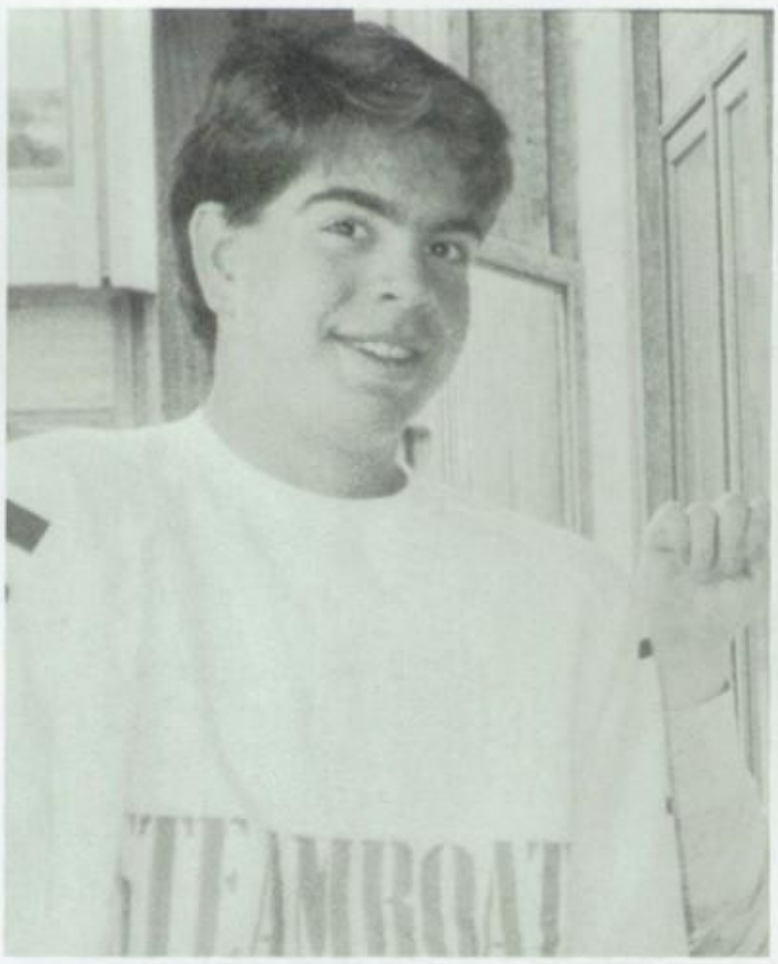
Hugo F. Peabody (Fred Williams) is comforted as Kim MacAffee (Shelly Gunter) reassures him that "her steady" is forever.

Albert Peterson (Jason Chalker) attempts to get Rosie to talk to him.

Charmed by the sound of Albert's voice, Charles F. Maud (Tony Stavely) enjoys the romantic song intended for Rosie.

Kim feels faint and dizzy at the sound of Conrad Birdie's (Andrew Embry) name.

Ursula Murkle (Ashley DeBoard) expresses disbelief that Kim is willing to give up the Conrad Birdie scream.



The favorite storyteller, Coach Hines, uses one of his famous hunting stories as a comparison at devotional time.

As he walks out of his condo to load the buses to go home, Patrick Gibson shows off his Steamboat souvenir shirt.

Before loading the buses to depart, the class poses for the traditional Senior Trip group picture.

Danny Walker flashes his shades and gets comfortable for the four hour bus trip to the Denver airport.

On Friday, March 13, fifty-five of the Seniors left D/FW airport for Denver, Colorado. Once in Denver, the Seniors loaded buses for a four (turned into eight due to snow) hour trip to Steamboat Springs, Colorado. The exhausted students arrived in Steamboat at about 3:00 a.m. They then moved into the Promantory Condominiums, where they would spend the next five days, and tried to get a few hours sleep before hitting the slopes the next morning.

Every day was filled with skiing, as well as some great shopping and eating at places such as Ski Times Square. Some Seniors spent all of their time shopping and never even made it to the slopes. Devotional meetings were held every evening. Everyone met to hear their favorite speaker, Coach Hines. However the time was spent, each Senior had a great time spending time with one another.

Preparing for battle, Andrew Embry makes a snowball for a great fight.

Already hyped up, Charlie Garcia and Michael Downs anxiously await the last bell, signaling the beginning of Spring Break '87.

Amy Kirkpatrick and Merrit Morrison take time out to relax and reflect at a devotional meeting.

Fun with a flair . . .

Tuxes, top hats, chauffeurs and corsages, students enjoy a night on the town.

Academy seniors and juniors cast off their uniforms in favor of tuxes and formals. They climbed into borrowed cars or rented limousines for an evening at The Marriot Mandalay Four Seasons in Las Colinas.

The class of '88 put out effort and money to give the seniors an evening with "A Touch of Class."

"The junior class went all out to make our last Jr.-Sr. the best it could be," said Senior Melissa Leonard.

Flaming desserts and boat rides on the canal afterwards were just two extras that made the night special.

In addition to the traditional presentation of rings and letters, Senior prophecies, and the senior slide show, seniors were treated to a narrated presentation of their baby pictures.

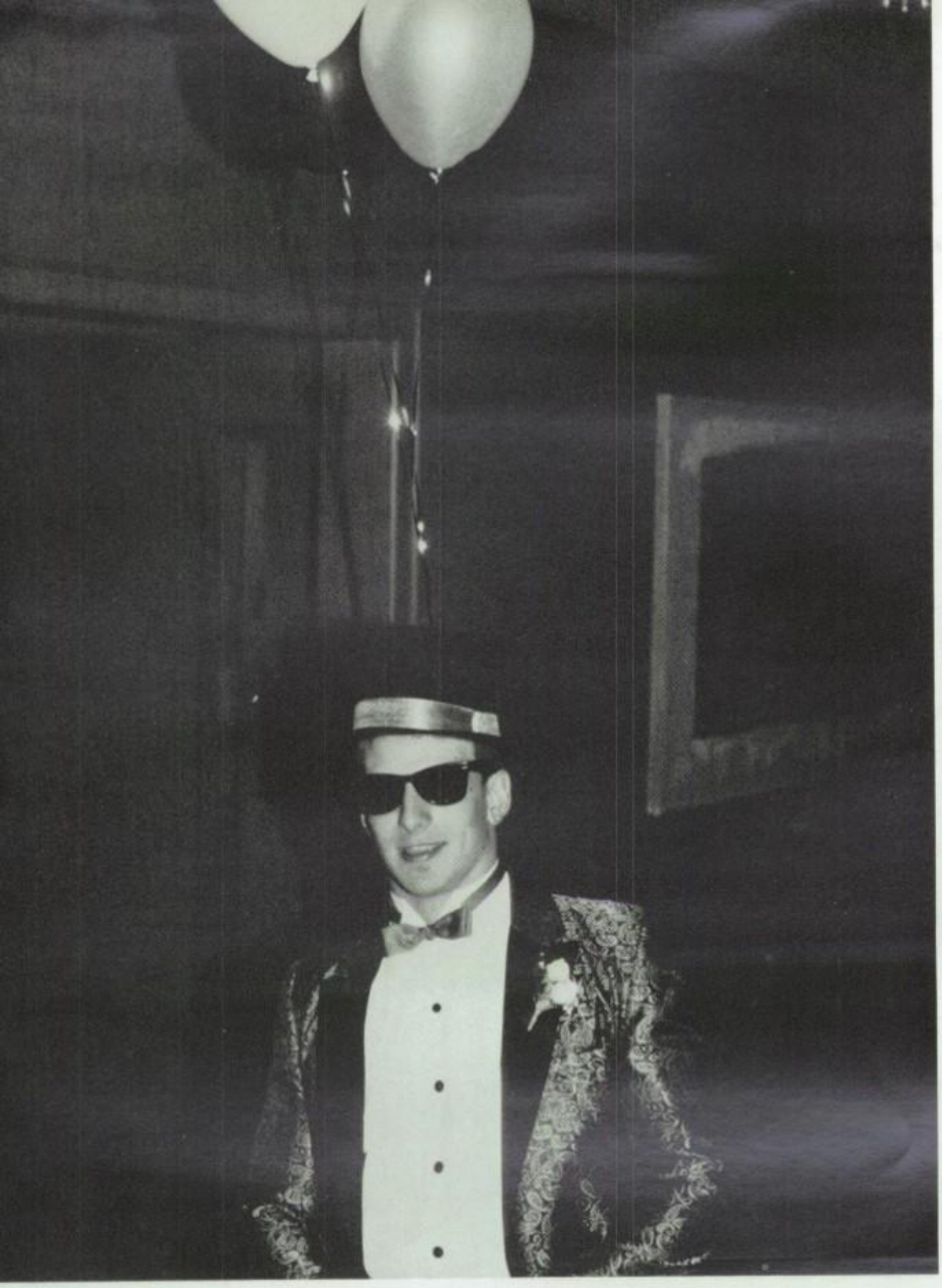
"The baby pictures were humorous, but also very embarrassing," remembers senior Nancy Dickert.

According to some juniors, the committee achieved their goal. "Personally we felt it was a classy evening and gave us memories we will never forget," said Shelly Maines and Katherine Davis.

Continuing an FBA tradition, Doyle England receives his class ring from Melissa Leonard.

Off for a romantic boat ride, twelve Juniors enjoy a trip around the canal.

Table hopping, Seniors Jon Sawyer and Paul Wilson make rounds, checking out their classmates' evening wear.



Wearing the table decorations, Senior Robert Bourdene thinks he has added a touch of class.

A big decision, Junior Scott Thompson tries to decide between Ranch or Italian salad dressing.

Peeking from their limo window, Juniors Charles Pokladnik and Misti Cutsinger say goodbye to their classmates in front of the hotel.

Principal Dr. Estes and her husband and Athletic Director Coach Hernandez listen as Mr. Tony Martinez inspires others to never give up.

Football captains Jamie Howard and Roger Wise present Dr. Criswell with a remembrance of the 86 football year.

They just can't get away from that gravy. While other juniors discuss the quality of the food, Keith Youngblood just tries to keep it down.

Athletes receive their due as banquet goes into overtime

Moving from Coleman Hall to Colony Park Hotel, the annual Sports Award Banquet featured speakers Joe Shearin, an ex-pro football player, and Tony Martinez, a sportscaster from Channel 8.

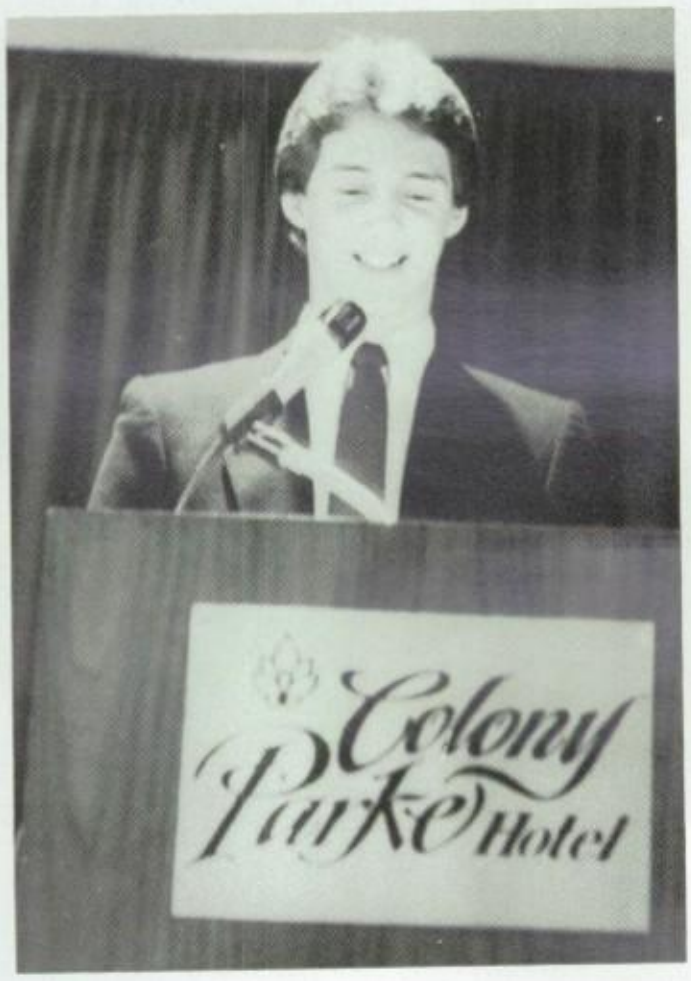
With the lengthy agenda honoring team members from every sport, the event which began at eight o'clock, ended only moments before midnight.

Fred Williams, Booster Club president, officiated the program. "He was the best part," said Andy Metheny. "All of his jokes were funny."

Each of the athletes were partial to their own sports. "My favorite part was the basketball segment," said sophomore basketball player Matthew Thompson.

Highlights of this year's award winners include Paul Cunningham award, Doyle England; Head hunter, Fred Williams; MVP basketball, Heath Rice and Staci Runnels; MVP softball, Staci Runnels; Jim Adair baseball award, Andrew Embry.

Explaining why football players have no necks and dents in their foreheads, Joe Shearin laughs along with his audience.



Senior basketball captain Heath Rice honors the Cheerleaders.

Another member for their senior scrapbook, Seniors Ashley Deboard and Lori Smith pose with their dates, Corey Clark and Chris Coggins.

The last of the lasts, Graduation marks the end of a high school career

Silence filled the Sanctuary on the night of May 28, 1987 as the Senior Class began its walk down the aisle.

"It was a night to remember" said Laura Shanks who took the stage as the Salutatorian of 1987.

Addressing a group of students who will be going in their separate ways in college, work, and military service, Deana Kinamon, the Valedictorian for 1987, expressed that graduation was more than just an education, a graduate must become well-balanced and seek success by the quest of knowledge, in all areas of life.

The speaker, Dr. Wells, urged them to have real values, not just a real education. He encouraged the class to make decisions and not fall into the traps of the world, to have an education of the heart and not just the mind.

In addition to the presentation of the Valedictory and Salutatory awards, Dr. Suzette Estes presented the Bible award to Deana Kinamon and two special athletic awards for highest academic average while participating in sports to Jason Chalker and Ashley DeBoard who each competed for 4 years in two different sports.

A light board for school news was presented to Mr. Fred Lively by Sr. Class President Robert Lanier.

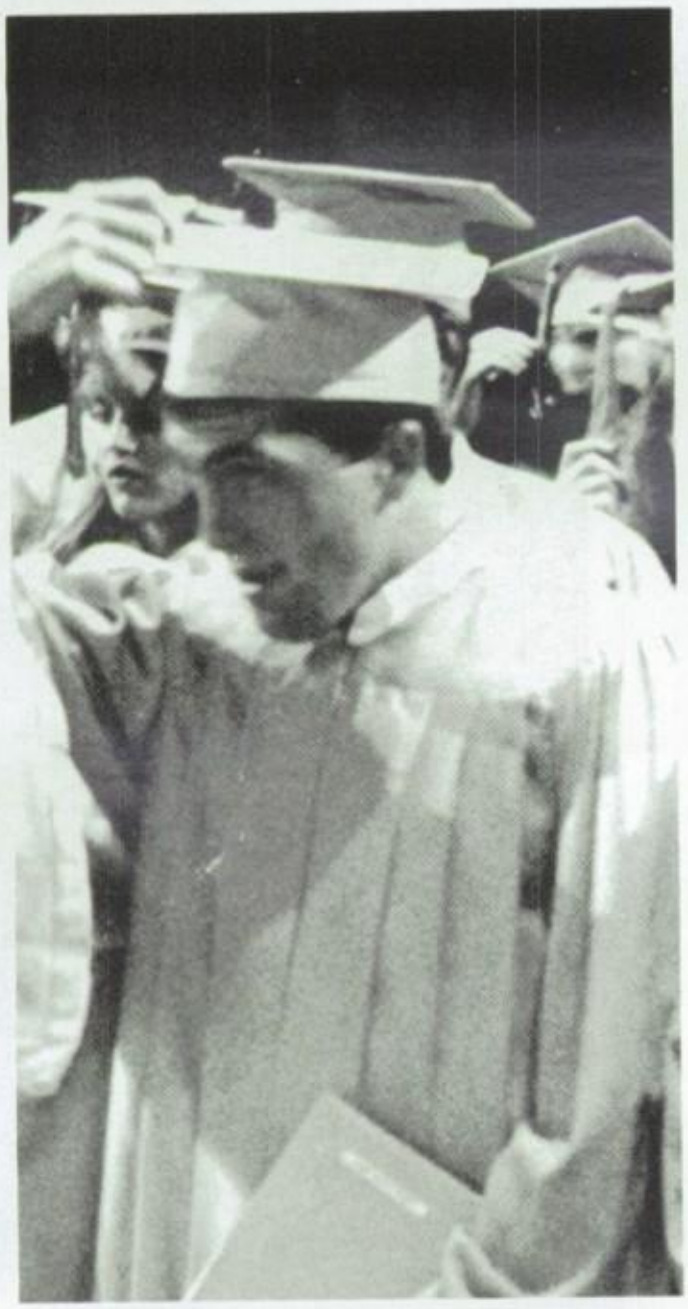
Valedictorian Deana Kinamon expresses to the audience how close her class really is.

Looking Good, Michael Downs gets his mortar board adjusted just right.

Dr. Wells speaks to the graduates on how the times really aren't changing.

IT'S OVER. With a smile on his face, Jamie Howard gladly accepts his diploma from Mr. Beazley.

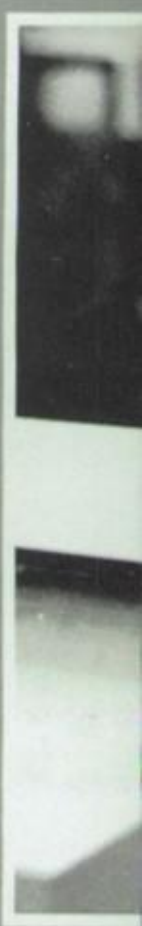
Surprised, Jason Chalker accepts his athletic award from Dr. Estes.



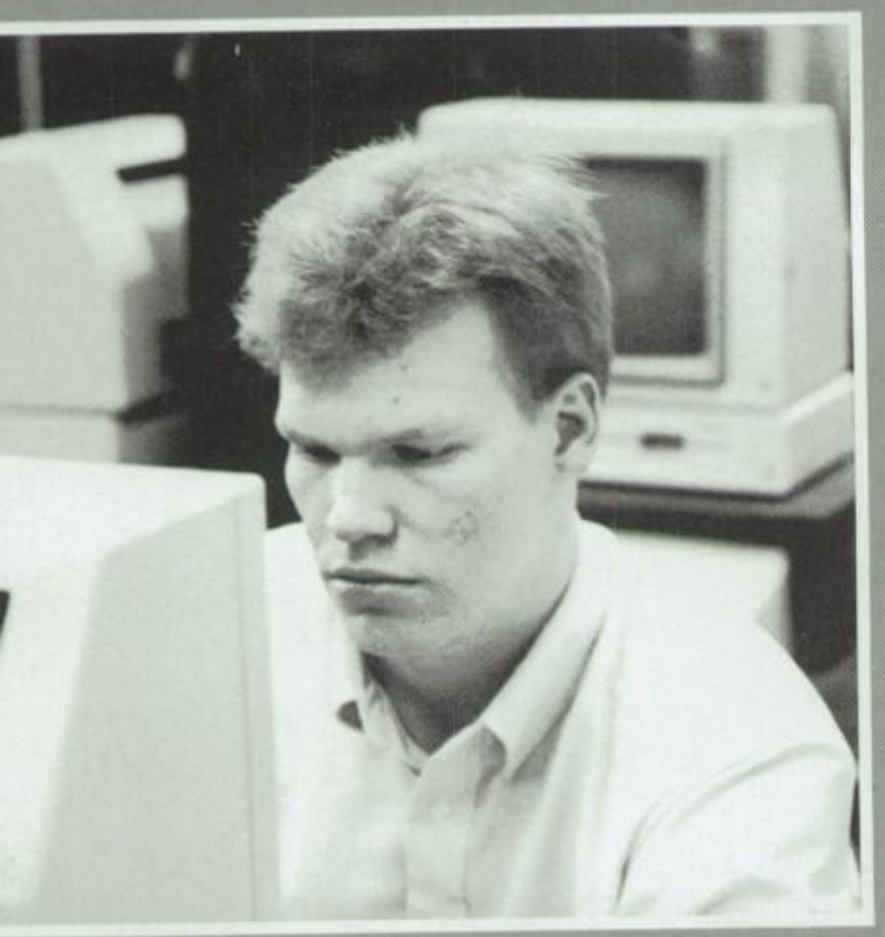
First Baptist Alumnus Andrew Embry changes his tassle.

On to bigger and better things, Staci Runnels makes her exit.

Paulette Neese portrays Mary in a Christmas play done by an 8th grade Speech class.



Coach Hendrickson lectures as his Bible class listens attentively.



BASIC is not a foreign language to Senior Daniel Walker as he works on a Computer I program.

Academics

IN THE WORD

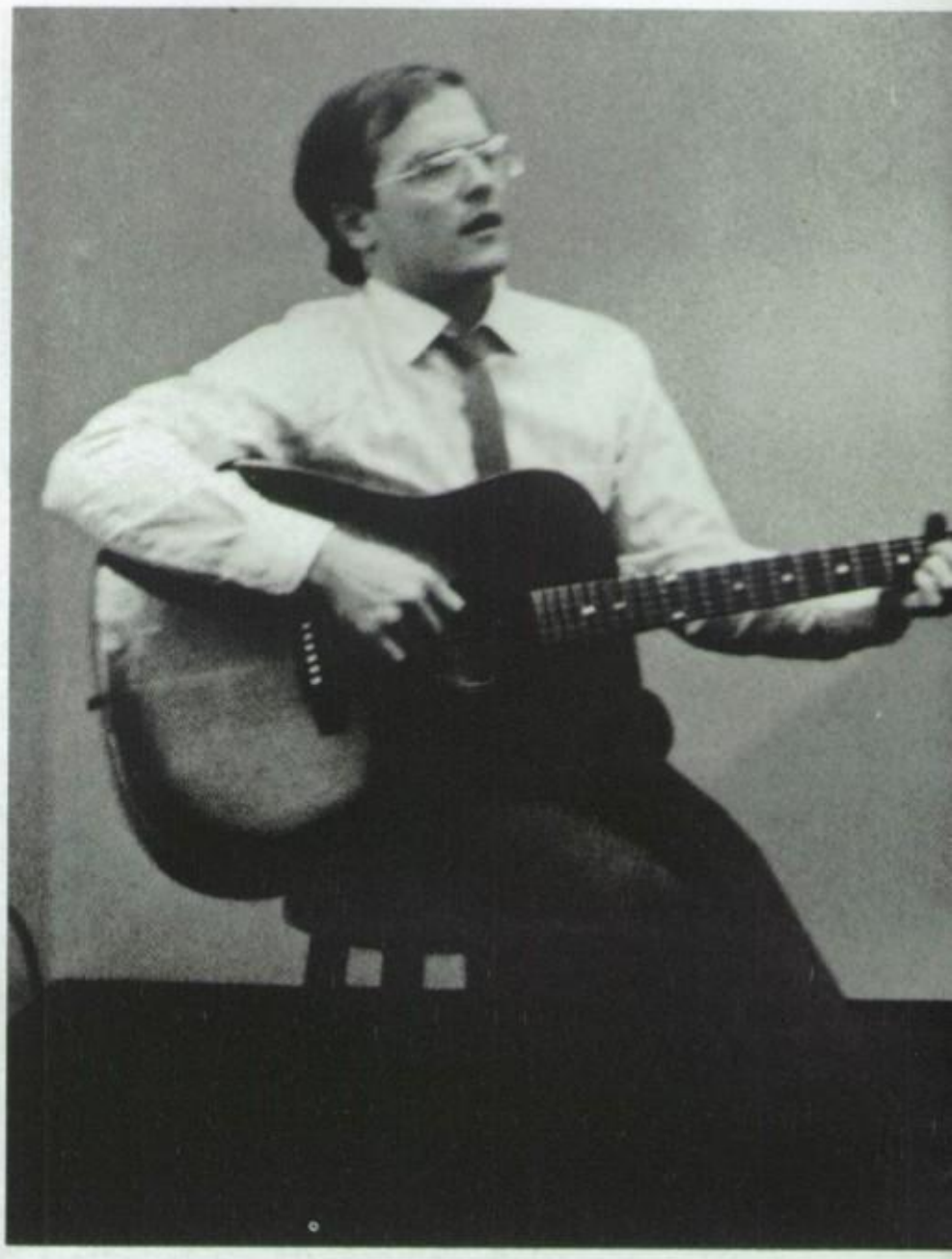
BY MISTI CUTSINGER

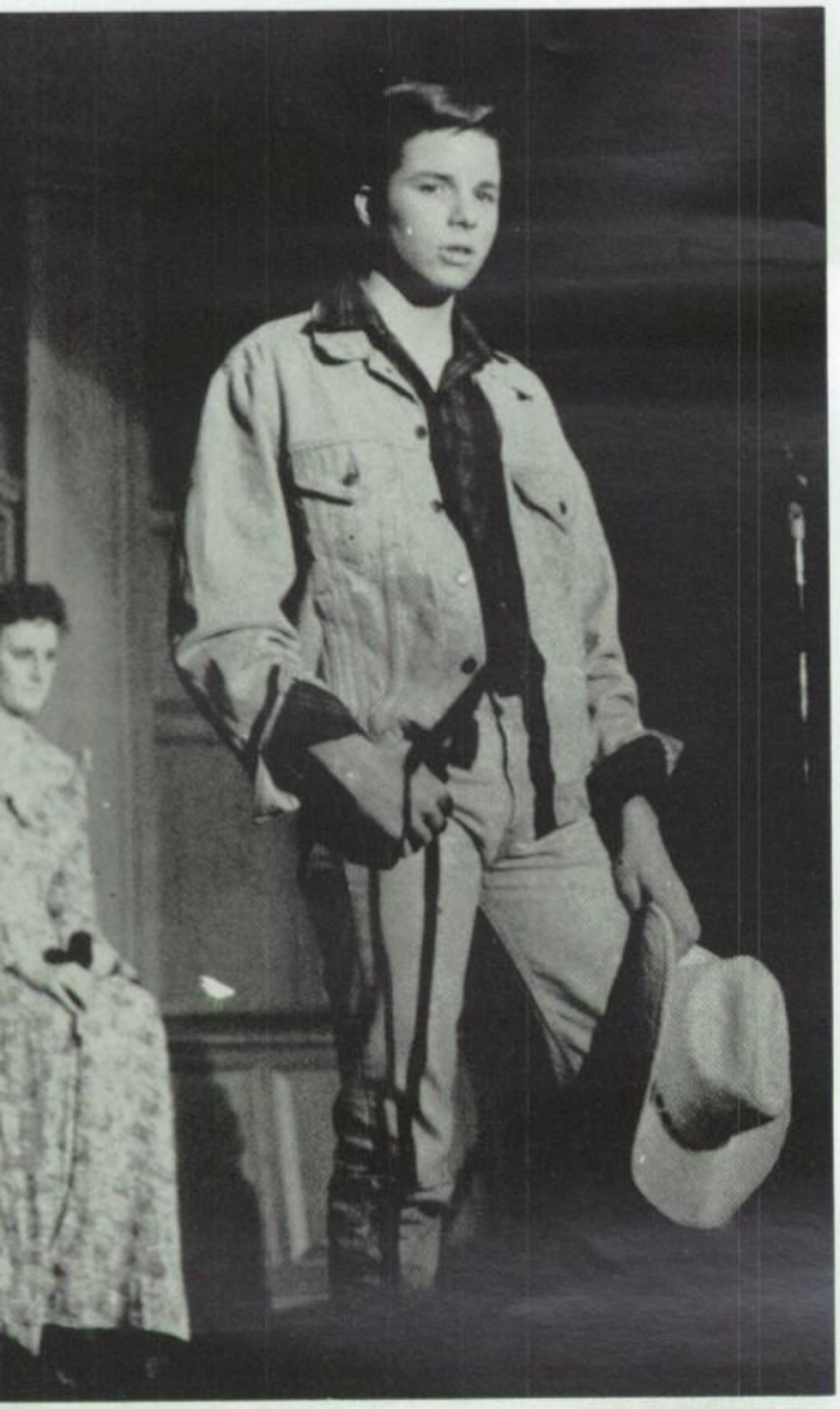
Mr. Armstrong introduces a new song to his class

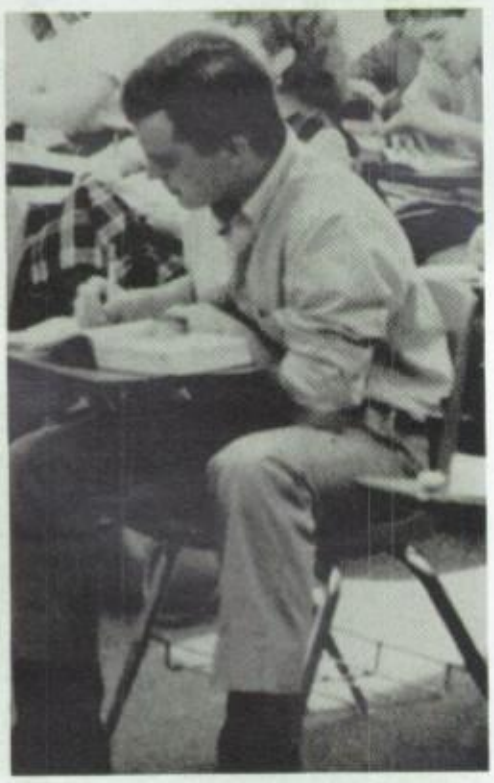
Toby Snowden and Michelle Martin continue discussing a chapel topic.

Mary Green, Jodilynn Brittain, Kim Leon, and Matt Bryant take notes in Bible class

The cast of *Bright New Wings* sings a tune for their friends.







cowboy version of the beloved disciple, theater arts student Andy Gosnell shares
ne thoughts of John in the fall production.

.B.A. alumni, Robert King, returns to his old friends for chapel.

aul Wilson works diligently in Miss Stark's Bible class.

ible is a great part of any Christian school, and it is the cornerstone of First Baptist Academy.

Warm bodies filed into Embree Hall for what they thought was to be another year of naptime. Instead students were awakened by the variety of speakers and activities which quickly caught their attention, including plays and musicians.

Instead of the mundane memorization of scriptures and dates, the Bible classes this year have reached out in new directions by teaching students how to apply scriptures to their lives. An addition to the Academy is the required quiet time notebooks which contain devotional verses for personal application.

Bob Beazley takes time out to catch up on his quiet time notebook

AT THE KEYBOARD

BY THOMAS THOMPSON

Mrs. Allen has to repair yet another typewriter.

Mrs. Tapson struggles to perform a choir program in spite of the windy December weather.

Senior Laurel Kayse learns computing under the guidance of fellow senior Lance Mays.

New sophomores Janeanne Speros and Wes Lonneke pause amidst the duties of journalism to compose a song.

nior Fred Williams once again quires the use of Liquid Paper.

Mrs. Gatton aids Junior Carmen Patterson in de-bugging her program.

Students cannot walk through FBA without hearing the click-clack of the keyboard in use. From pianos in the drama room and chapel, to typewriters in the office and typing room, to computers all around school, the keyboard is a vital part of FBA life.

The computer has contributed its two-cents worth this year. The school is presently converting all files, such as student records and schedules, to computer disks. This will not only speed up any student-related operations, but will alleviate many problems with records and schedules containing classes that do not exist — as in the first few days of the 86-87 year.

Seeing students frantically rush about at the last minute, desperately trying to find someone to type their research papers has been a common sight at FBA. Not so anymore. All students are required to take Typing I. These students receive a working knowledge of typing and can easily improve their typing speeds in this half-semester course. An advanced course is offered for the die-hard typist.

What would chapel be like without the soothing sounds emitting from the piano, played so well by sophomore Scott Warren? Besides chapel programs, the piano is used in Theater Arts and choir presentations.

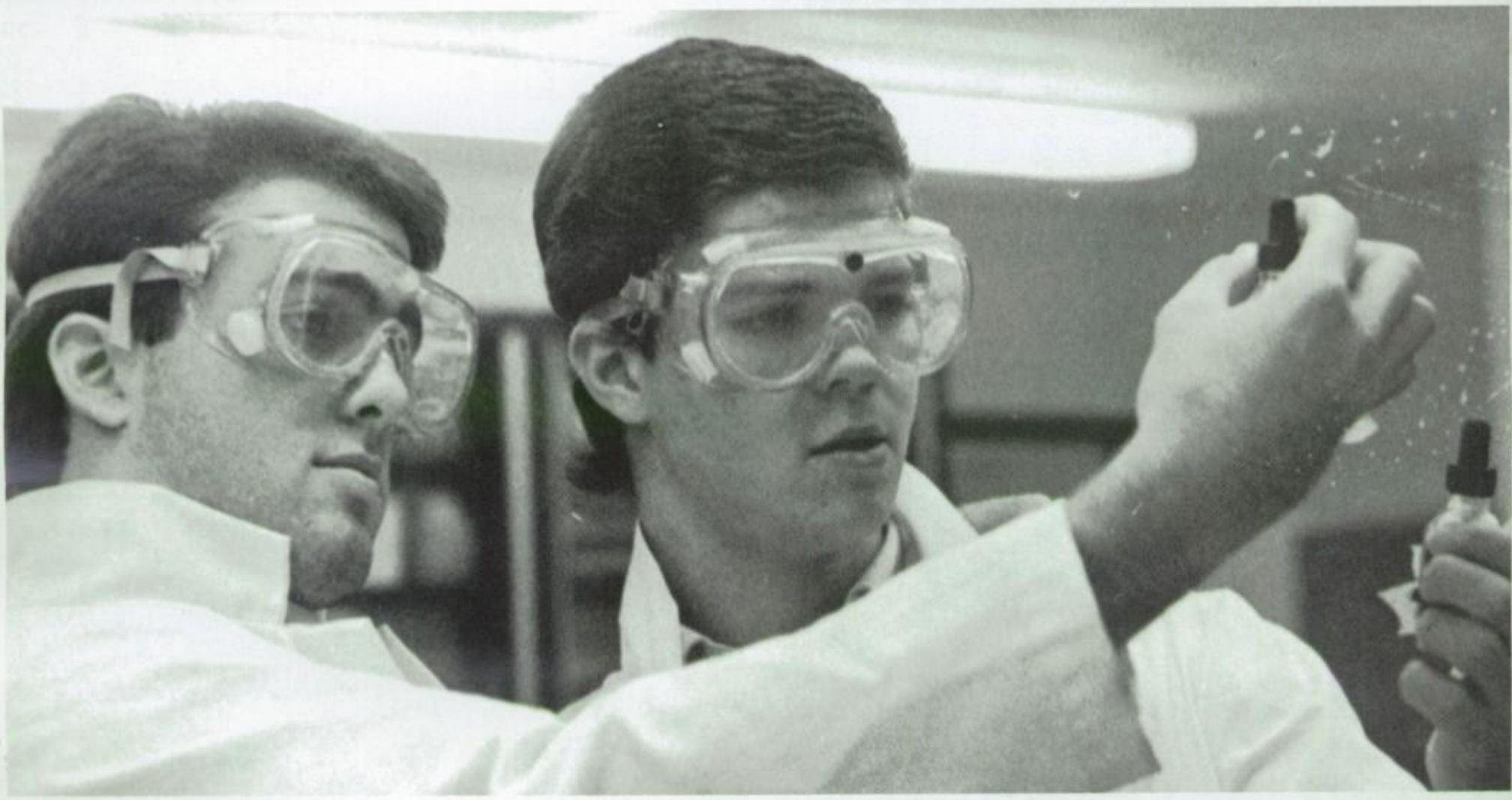
Finding the Computer Room empty, Junior Tim White uses it to his advantage.

IN THE LAB

BY MISTI CUTSINGER

Jamie Howard and Mike Marion inspect the fetal pig that they are about to explore

Looking the part, seniors Andrew Embry and Kevin Mills, inspect labels in the lab dressed in proper attire.



Learning French fluency, Todd Young and Rachel Brittain, utilize the language lab for their French II activities

The Mad Scientist — Mr. Armstrong mixes chemicals with his steady hand.

Ramon Monsivaiz and other chemistry students work on photochromatology.

Going Overboard — Matt Bryant and Doug Sheperd protect their eyes, noses, chins, and necks.

The aroma of formaldehyde filled the halls on the afternoon that Biology II entered the lab to dissect the dreaded fetal pig.

Chemistry students in their goggles and robes could be caught in the act of mixing chemicals and doing photochromatology. While the physics class experiments with Archemedes Principle. The science labs are equipped for all fields of experimentation to coordinate with the classes offered.

The language lab is a new addition to the eleventh floor this year. The lab is used by both Spanish and French students to improve articulation of their language. Upon entering the lab, a group of students can be seen wearing martian-like antennas from Star Trek. Above the drone of the voice on the tape a soft snore of a disinterested student is occasionally heard.

Chemistry students carefully mix ingredients.

ON THE

STAGE

BY THOMAS THOMPSON

Greg Reich gives his award winning campaign speech for the office of Chaplain.

Janna Martin's angel face is in keeping with her part in her eighth grade drama class.

Srs. Patrick Gibson, Lance Mayes, and Allison Loeb and sophomore Andy Gosnell sing the finale in the Drama Club's production of "Bright New Wings."

Deana Kinamon is swept off her feet by Fred Williams.

s. Heather Pretlove, Heath Rice, and Laura Shanks end up the ar on a good note with their rendition of "All I Need to Say" at . Chapel.

eeny Boppers Ashley DeBoard, Laurel Kayse, and Peggy Sterling sh to the aid of a love-sick Shelly Gunter.

All the world's a stage and all the students merely players. This statement held true for FBA this year as the stage became the center attraction this year. The Drama Club, under the direction of Mrs. Kayse, performed "Bright New Wings" for the High School and "Cinderella" for the Elementary. The Seniors got into the act also with their Senior Play, "Bye, Bye, Birdie" and Senior Chapel. Also breaking a leg this year were the Natural Helpers with their many skits for High School and Elementary.

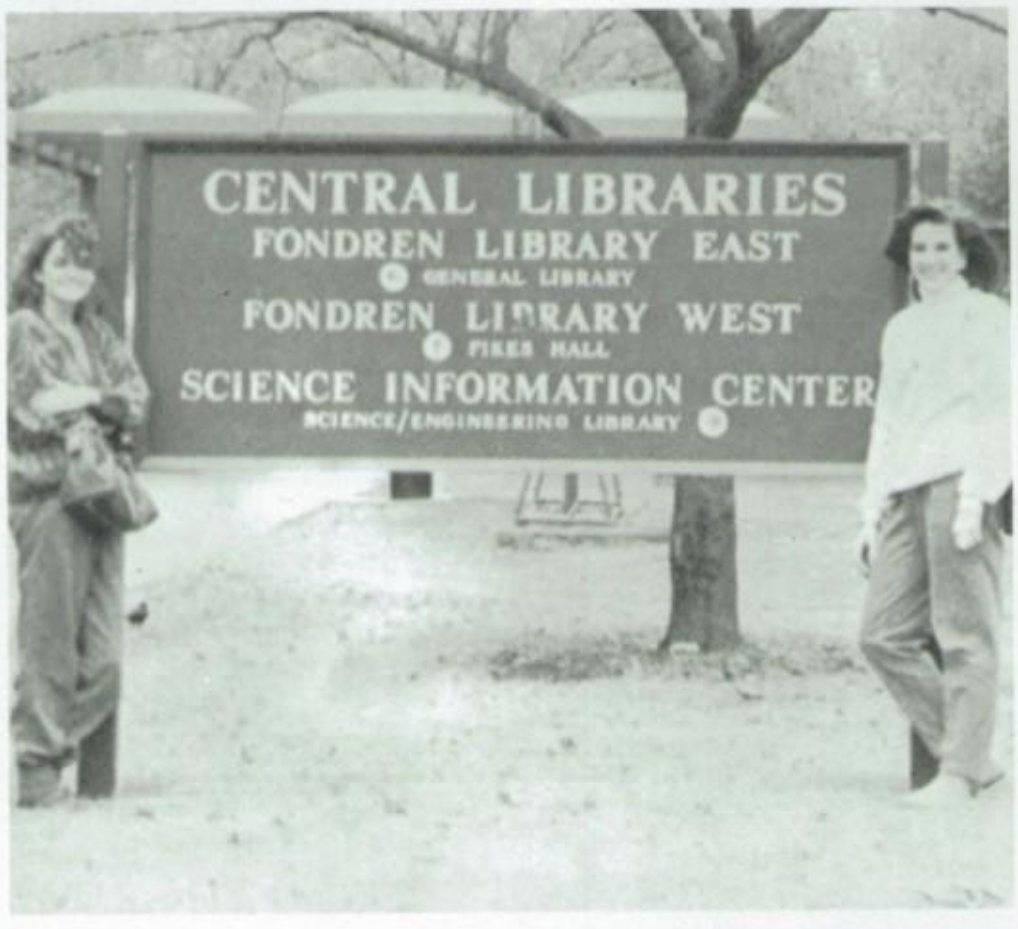
Jim Rathbun and Lance Mayes rock the chapel with their sax duet.

AT THE

LIBRARY

BY THOMAS THOMPSON

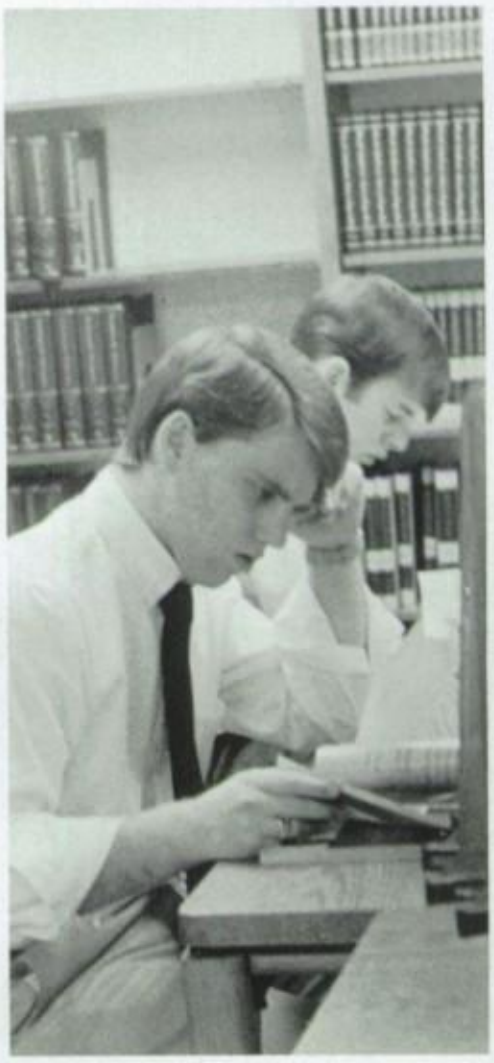
Seventh-grader Jon Brubaker attempts to locate the North American continent.



Juniors Julie Payne and Liz Bell work overtime on their research papers at the SMU library, which, for many juniors, became an extension of the Betty Criswell Library.

Chasing a lost thought, junior Doug Shepherd stares across the library.

Junior Eric Leatherwood and Sophomore Philip Sexton spend some intense study time in the periodical section.



Juniors Carmen Patterson, Kim Wilson, and Julie Payne find a comfortable study spot while waiting for Cara Howe, junior, to xerox her sources.

Seventh-grader Daniel Farr searches for just the right book.

Hordes of high schoolers sprawled across tables, desks, and chairs, are a familiar sight in the Betty Criswell Library. Most of these diligent scholars are tackling the most dreaded of all assignments — the research paper.

Well equipped to handle all their research needs, the Library was a gift from Mrs. Betty Criswell's Sunday School class and the Development Board of the Academy. The Library was given in honor of Mrs. Criswell herself, so that FBA students would not have to trek all across town to meet their library needs.

Why, besides the research paper, do students come to the Library? Sophomore Christie Cheshire says she comes for the fiction section. "I like to get something to read every once in awhile, and since the library is so close, that's where I go," she remarked.

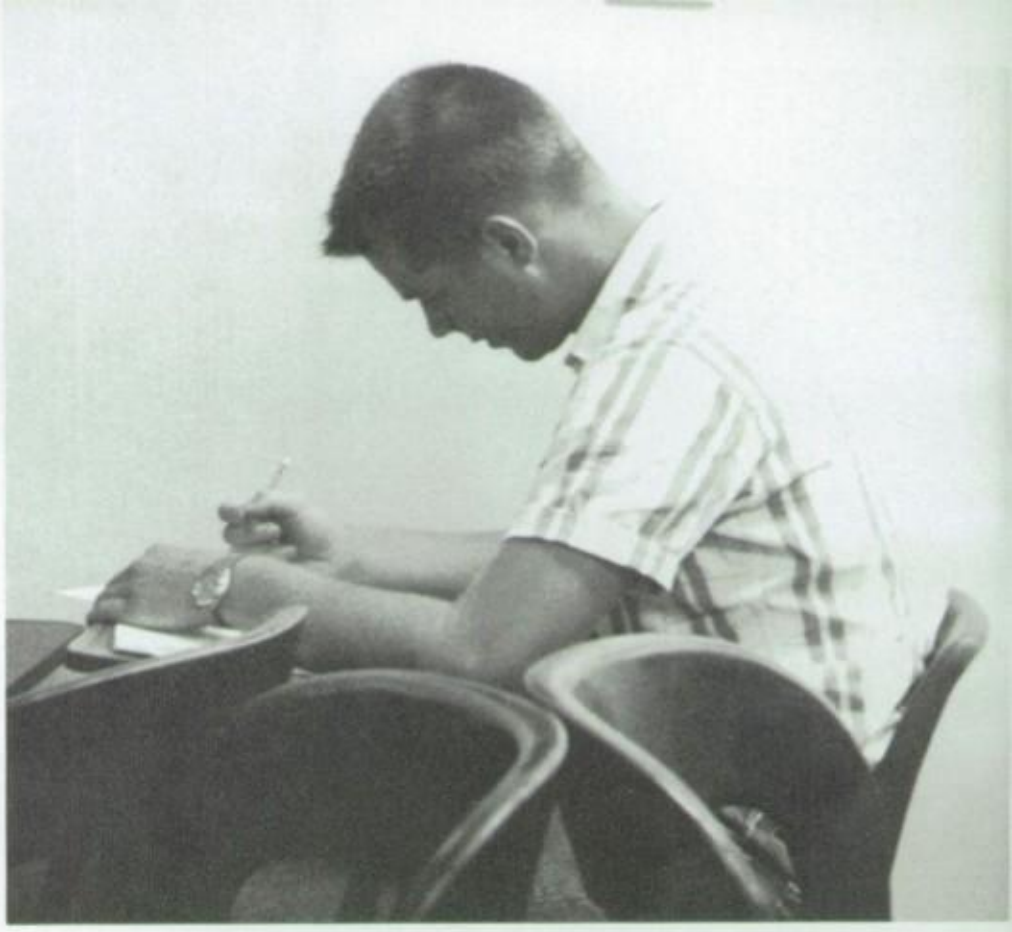
Janeane Speros, a new sophomore, goes for another reason, "Copies." Whatever the reason, students appreciate that they have access to the complete, and close, Betty Criswell Library.

Senior Paul Wilson is glad for any distraction from his English paper.

UNDER

PRESSURE

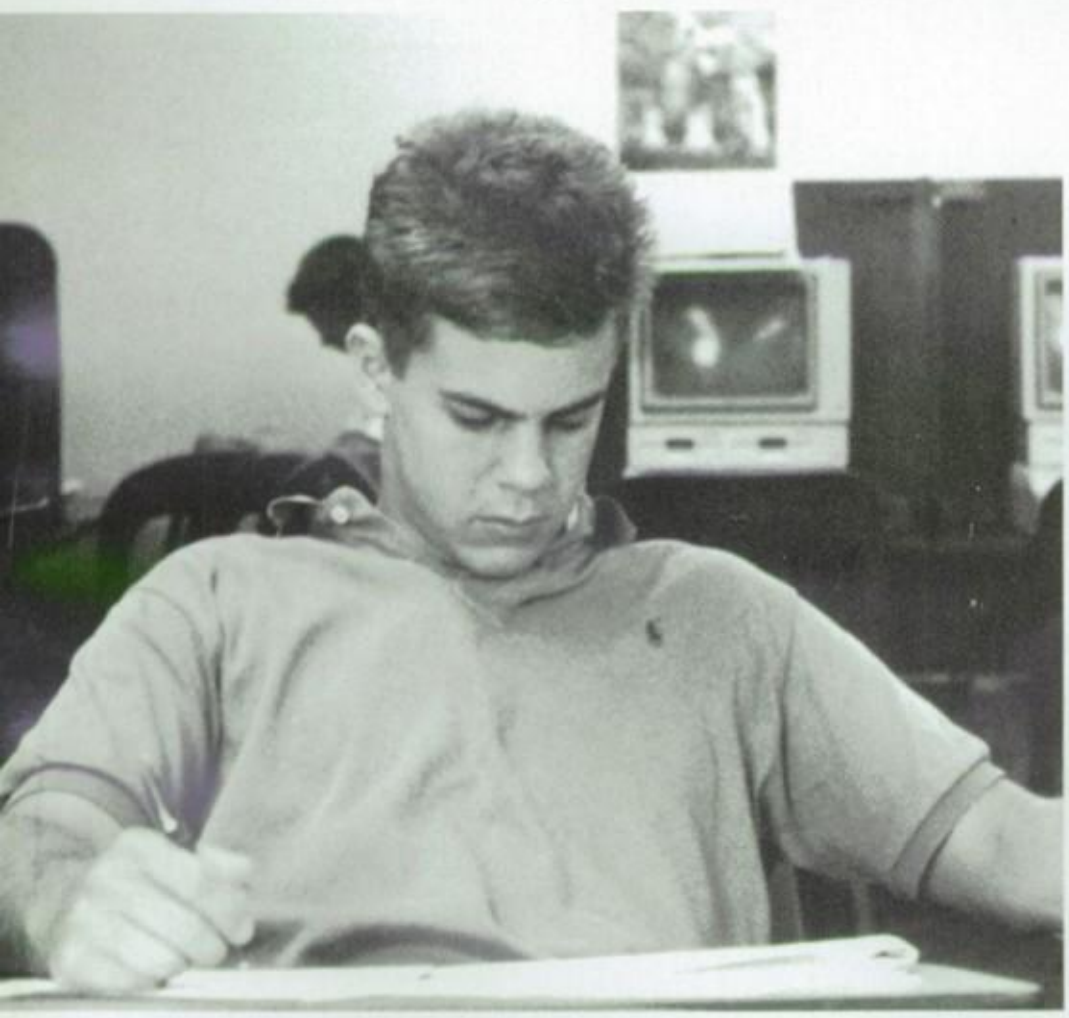
BY PEGGY STERLING



Keith Youngblood tries hard to remember all the correct answers.

Sonja McGill takes time out to grab a bite to eat at Burger King.

Matt Bryant displays his calm, cool side while concentrating on his computer exam.



Christie Ashwill asks a classmate how she did on an exam.

Mary Laura Reynolds just doesn't know when to quit studying.

Junior Jocelyn Patton feels the heat as she sweats through another exam.

All study and no play, Geoff Brown takes a break to catch up on the comics.

Panic! Last-minute cramming. Butterflies. A few common symptoms characterize the fear of finals week.

Students constantly ask themselves, "Have I studied enough?"

Some seniors were exempt from nearly all exams because they had maintained an A average and had not had more than five absences. The majority of the Seniors, however, did take most of their exams, including a 12-page essay for English in the dreaded "blue books."

Although the seniors finished first, it was a race all underclassmen competed in. The marathon of finals week left most with very little brain power, even less rest, and a huge sense of relief.

Under the direction of sponsor, Miss Fary, the yearbook staff tries to figure out the best way to get thirty boxes of yearbooks to the eleventh.

Band members, Melanie Wells and Samantha Marshall double as members of the new flag corps.

Keith Youngblood, Ashley Deboard, Becky Burnett and Peggy Sterling, Student Council officers, study a new proposition.

ORGANIZATIONS

FBA

Student Council: opening new doors

Broadening its horizons this year, the student council began its work even before the school year started. Under the guidance of sponsor Jim Rathbun, the council organized and hosted an orientation program to familiarize them with the school. Student Council officers wasted no time in creating and running a school store. An Alumni Reception was held on Homecoming, bringing back FBA students from years past. This reception is expected to become an annual function. Alumni Basketball games with the current basketball team were also planned by the student council.

This year the student council has plans to play a more active role in student life. "We want FBA to sit up and take notice of us this year," notes Student Council president Ashley DeBoard. Student council sponsor, Mr. Rathbun, has planned to make Parliamentary Procedure an important part of the council meetings. All in all, the student council has decided to take charge and become the most organized and accomplished student council FBA has ever known.

Somber Council Representatives attend the Grand Opening of the school store.

The 1986-87 Student Council Officers are: (Front, L to R) Assistant Secretary/Treasurer Keith Youngblood, President Ashley DeBoard; (Back) Vice-President Becky Burnett and Secretary Peggy Sterling.

Mrs. Brittian and Dr. Criswell have a few words to say at the dedication ceremony of the Prayer Chapel, hosted by the Student Council.

Monica Monsiavaiz, a seventh grader, prepares her first FBA sundae at New Student Orientation.

Student Council President Ashley DeBoard and Sophomore class President Thomas Thompson discuss what to do with the new students.

Junior Vice-President Liza Roeser and new freshmen Leah Boettinger and Nicole Macaluso can hardly contain themselves as they play "The Name Game."

The 1986-87 Class Officers are: (Front, L to R) Frosh. Sec./Treas. Jami Smith, Soph. Sec./Treas. Sonja McGill, Soph Pres. Thomas Thompson, Jr. Sec./Treas. Wendi Shaw, Jr. Pres. Matt Bryant, (Middle) Frosh. Pres. Sudheer Jayaprabhu, Frosh. V.-Pres. Elbert Lonzie, Soph. V.-Pres. Kelly Holder, Sr. Sec./Treas. Lori Smith, Sr. V.-Pres. Amy Kirkpatrick, Jr. V.-Pres. Liza Roeser, (Back) Sponsors Jim Rathbun and Charlotte Snell. (Not Pictured, Sr. Pres. Robert Lanier).

New equipment, new goals make yearbook exciting

Extremely excited about their new and creative ideas, the Yearbook Staff anticipated the production of their book. A few members had attended yearbook camp where they set the foundation for the building of their new book.

As they arrived the first day of school, they greeted a wonderful new addition to their staff — the dark room.

They were in awe of the long, narrow, black room lighted by one small, red light. Their excitement grew as each of the members learned how to use the chemicals and print the pictures.

"When we want a certain picture, we can take what we want and experiment with different angles," said Chris Coggins.

Editor, Peggy Sterling said, "Going to camp helped us see how an award-winning yearbook should be, and that is what we hope to achieve with this book."

Using the printer, Thomas Thompson tries to enlarge his head.

Designing layouts, Peggy Sterling decides which picture is best.

A sponsor's frustrations are many. Miss Fary watches as her staff unloads 1,000 yearbooks on the windiest day of the year.

Misti Cutsinger searches her mind for creative captions.

Smiles of relief. The Yearbook Staff relaxes after the long haul of delivering the '86 Yearbooks.

YEARBOOK STAFF: (front, from left) Editor Peggy Ster-ling, Misti Cutsinger, Sharon Riffe, Kim Wilson, Jennifer Blanton, (back) Thomas Thompson, Chris Coggins.

Focus and Format changes: Newspaper sports new look

Starting off with a new name, new look, and new concept, the *Chronicle* staff produced seven issues a year.

The new look was achieved by better page design, type setting the print, and printing the paper on newsprint. Spot color added a quality look to the pages.

Based on the verse Ephesians 4:29, the new concept forced the staff to reevaluate its purposes. "No what ifs," says Sophie Schragin, "they hurt people."

Editor Heather Pretlove really loves the paper's new image. "The best part of the year was seeing everyone's faces when they saw the first issue."

Roger plays with the flash and sees dots.

OOPS! Heather Pretlove finds typo in newspaper.

Sophie Shragin and Kevin Couch take a break from their hard work.

Sophie Shragin and Roger Wise make a close inspection of the sports page before it goes to press.

Sophomores Wes Lonneke and Janeanne Speros take a moment out during exam week to check their assignment calendar.

Starting the year off right, Heather Pretlove wins a writing award at the newspaper workshop she attended before the school year began.

Action-oriented groups help meet student needs

The National Honor Society and the National Junior Honor Society continued the tradition of service and academic excellence. As always the honor societies served at Dr. Criswell's birthday banquet in December. A new service begun by the honor societies is the tutoring program. This program is now offered to any student who needs help in any academic class.

A new student service organization that was initiated this year is the Natural Helpers. This is a group of students, chosen for their leadership within the school, that works with mainly junior high students. Through skits and discussion groups, the Natural Helpers deal with such difficult topics as peer pressure, and standing up for one's beliefs.

Natural Helpers: Wendi Shaw, LeighaAnn Wise, Jennifer Lewis, Liz Bell, Andy Kovan, Ashley Scott, Bob Beazley, Craven Coates, Kristen Estes, Craven Coates, Katie Hudson, Anissa Garcia, Rachelle Hast, Linda Schratto, Amy Wood, Jenny Marion, Suzanne Reeves, Gretchen Cox, Margie Wall.

National Honor Society Seniors: **Back, From Left:** Peggy Sterling, Heather Pretlove, Heath Rice, Patrick Gibson, Jeff Cross, Lance Mayes. **Front,** Deana Kinamon, Lauri Kovan, Allison Loeb, Laura Shanks. **Not Pictured:** Ashley DeBoard.

Natural Helpers Rachelle Hast, Jenny Marion and Dollie Clark work on memorizing a skit for chapel.

National Junior Honor Society — **Back, From Left:** Lisa Kennedy, Harry Frenhken, Jill Santinga, Shannon Talkington, Deanna Fisher, LaJauna Edwards, Abetha Hardy, Sudeer Jayaparbhu, Jennifer Lewis, Randy Colton. **Front,** Melody Riddle, Liz Pope, Cari Santinga, Stephanie Black, Christi Ashwill, Ross Bryant, Sharon Butler.

National Honor Society — Keith Youngblood, Matt Bryant, Sonja McGill, Jodilynn Brittain, Carmen Patterson, Kelly Holder, Liz Bell, John Matlock, Kristen Estes, Gretchen Weaver, Amy Wood, Misty Farr, Christie Cheshire, Jenny Marion, Amy Womack, Shelly Maines, Angela Cade, Stephanie Adair, Sonya Merrill, Tim White, James Dean.

Musicians overcome obstacles for an award-winning season

Turning to the Junior High players to beef up a marching band depleted by ineligibility, the Varsity Band took the field.

They also took honors at several contests. They attended two State Fair parades, SMU Homecoming Parade Sandy Lake Competition, and hosted the ACSI Contest for all of Texas.

A bright, new addition to the band was the Flag Corps. It added excitement to the Homecoming halftime.

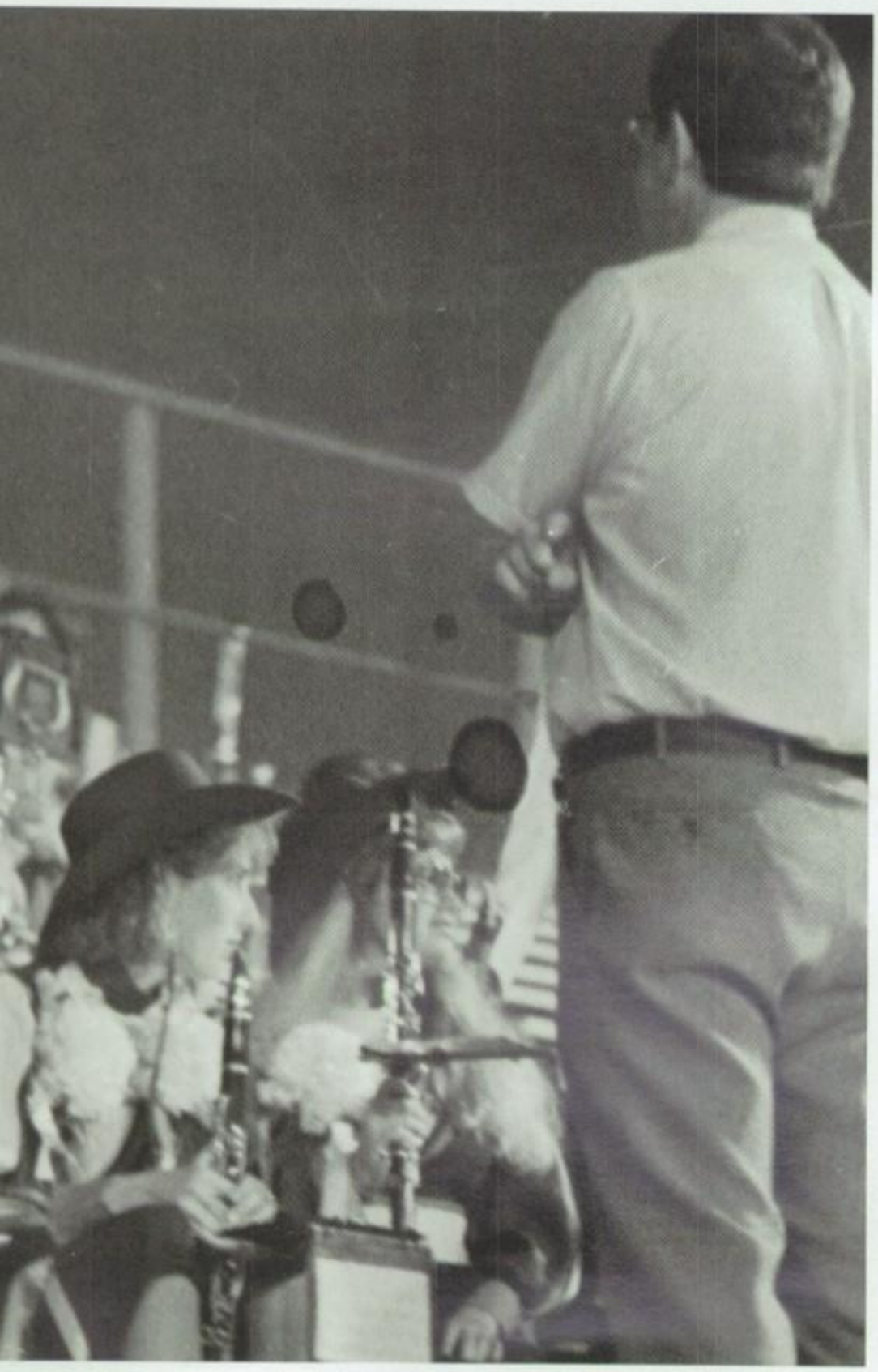
"One of our traumas this year was trying to drive to the field to practice while the busses were breaking down," said assistant drum major, Laurel Kayse.

Smiles of success, Regina Rasberry awaits the roll off before leaving the field.

Pausing between formations, the band entertains the Saint fans with their music.

Band was lead on the field by seniors Lance Mayse, Drum Major, and Laurel Kayse, Assistant Drum Major.

VARSITY BAND: (front, from left) G. Reich, L. Kayse, L. Mayes, C. Acevedo, S. Warren, (second) C. White, A. Comer, S. Suniga, A. Hardy, M. Wall, C. Donkervoet, J. Taylor, (Third) M. Seabolt, J. Thigpen, S. Reeves, J. Baker, E. Lonzie, D. Smith, E. Wilcox, (Fourth) M. Farr, K. Taylor, J. Matlock, G. Weaver, A. Gatton, W. Edwards, M. Ramsey, N. Williams, (Back) C. Fanning, S. Marshall, A. Wood, M. Lyons, M. Wells, R. Brittain, D. Wickham, R. Rasberry.



With perfect pitch, sophomore Mary Lyons helps boost spirit during a pep rally.

Putting down their flags, flag corps members, Amy Wood, Melanie Wells, and Casey Fanning pick up their instruments and join the band in the stands.

Captain Casey Fanning handles her flag beautifully while the flag corps presents their debut performance at the homecoming game.

Front from Left: Kathy White, Stefani Talley, Penny Brady, Kim Reeves, Amy Mavridis, Kristen Nelson, Julie Kaup. **Second:** Coshari Gardener, Laura Shinn, Jocelyn Lewis, Inga Harrison, Brian Poole, Stephanie Tereschuk, Kristie Howard. **Third:** Jill Greeney, Jennifer Jones, Shyra Holmes, Mary Young, Corey Jones, Joe Slack, Scott Fineske. **Fourth:** Andrew Nance, James Crady, Travis Ewert, Nicky Hurst, Ryan Dunn, Jennifer Fincher, Kristie Pitt. **Fifth:** Ted Yeager, Keith Burgoyne, Somer Pyron, David Hardy, Fred Daniels, Kassi Allen, Esther Rohm. **Sixth:** Adam Atwood, David Packer, John Alberts, Steven Short, William Bailey. **Last:** Dwayne Dummer, David Pretlove.

Parading in front of the stands, the flag corps make their way back to their seats.

Front from Left: Stephanie Hindall, Pennington Ingley, Meredith Shaw, Amy Bush, Leslie Arnold, Amie Boughton. **Second:** Roshawn Talley, Lateefah Booty, Carol Smith, Amy Taylor, Natalie Weaver, Crystal Davis. **Third:** Amy Horton, Jason Kaup, Chaka Penny, Dean Reed, Matt Martin, Sam Phillips. **Fourth:** Hubert Freeman, Angela Rodriguez, Hud Hartson, Gary Lancaster, Tim Blakeway, Paul Rouche. **Fifth:** Jeremy Mitro, Wade Hampton, Cass Blackshear, Douglass Reeves, Mark Falcon, Jason Lambert. **Last:** Isaiah Evans, David Taylor.

Front from Left: Capt. Casey Fanning, Lieut. Rachel Brittain. *Second:* Deanna Wickham, Samantha Marshall. *Third:* Melanie Wells, Regina Rasberry. *Fourth:* Mary Lyons, and Amy Wood.

The cheerleaders wait until the band finishes to hand the flag corps their flags for their routine.

Musicians on the move, band members perform for judges and fans

"Fun, fellowship, and lots of hard work" were a few of the words heard from the group of girls that made up the Flag Corps. Eating pizza at Deanna Wickham's house before football games was Sophomore Samantha Marshall's favorite memory. But it was not all laughs as Junior Casey Fanning points out. "I hated rehearsing in the Veal Garage. It stunk really bad!"

Only performing three times, two football games and one pep rally, the flag corps has an excellent start on an exciting organization.

Taking the show on the road, the fifth and sixth grade bands traveled to many different places for performances. Experiencing more than just flats and sharps, they visited such places as Malibu, Sandy Lake, and Crystals. The days of practicing at home and at school paid off when both bands received a Superior from ACSI.

Displaying her flag in front of the pep rally crowd, Regina Rasberry performs with style.

Singing with all their hearts, Melody Rittle, Amy Brittain, and Cindy Sutton blend in harmony at the Christmas musical.

Singing Saints: *Front, From Left:* Brad Hatfield, Nikki Hurst, Christie Anderson, Jennifer Jones, Shyra Holmes, Kassi Allen, Amy Kline, Lance Talkington, Crystal Beamon, Amy Freeman, Janience Pate, Carmen Kieke, Cam Blackshear. *Second,* Jamie Beach, Somer Pyron, Chonda Williams, Jill Greeney, Amy Taylor, Lori Miears, Stephanie Talley, Jocelyn Lewis, Kristi Guy, Kristen Nelson, Laura Rogers, Kathy White, Mrs. Linda Tapson, director. *Third,* Cass Blackshear, Mary Francis Young, Esther Rohm, Stephanie Mason, Natalie Weaver, Roshawn Talley, Coshari Gardner, Ashley Sallee, Amy Bryant, Emily Parthemore, Melinda Hardin, Lateefah Booty, James Crady. *Top,* Ted Yeager, Gary Lancaster, Laura Elmore, Anna Long, Mandy Daniel, Kelly Martin, Jason Kaup, Julie Harris, Amy Bush, Shawn Baker, Kristi Howard, Joe Slack, Amy Mavridis, Chad Fulton.

Musicians score "superior" in state choral contest

The singing saints and the F.B.A. girls choir, led by Linda Tapson, were both rated "Superior" by ASCI judges at two different contests. The Singing Saints is an ensemble of elementary students in grades 4, 5, 6. The F.B.A. Girls Choir is composed of girls in grades 7-12.

From her perch above the music stand, Director, Mrs. Linda Tapson encourages the high school choir to sing louder.

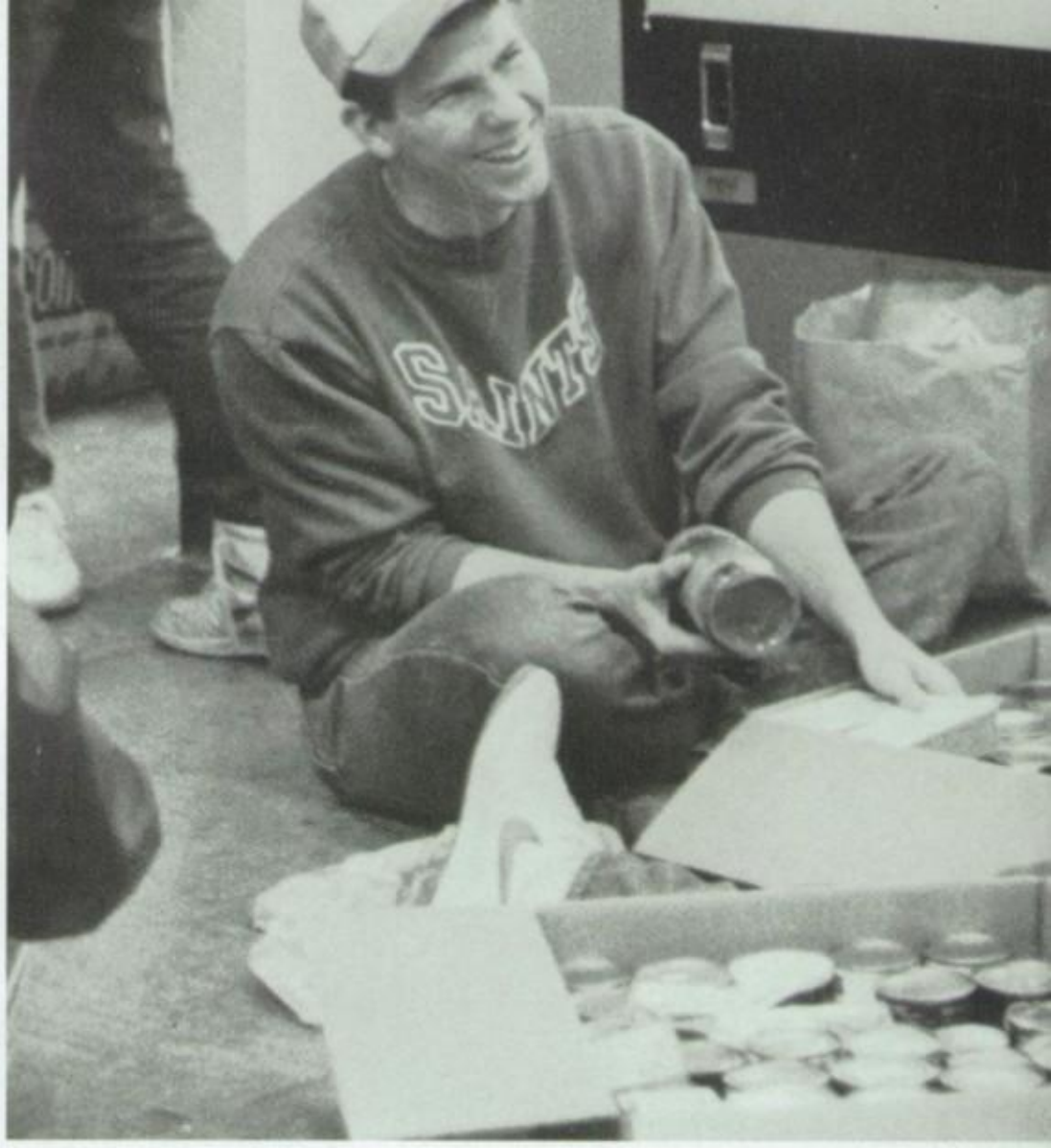
Watching for the cut off, choir members Jackie Linn, Melissa Payne, Sherly Paris, Jill Matlock, and Jennifer Land hold the final note of their song.

High School Girls Choir: **Front, From Left:** Janet Packer, Lisa Baker, Staci Lott, Catherine Brown, Shirly Paris, Carrie Lively, Carrie Nance, Melissa Payne, Jenny Curr. **Middle,** Melissa Payne, Allyson Linn, Kelly Clark, Tara Williams, Shannon Talkington, Latoy Franklin, Jackie Linn, Kristi Guy. **Top,** Liz Pope, Brooke Dunn, Tiffany Mayes, Kim Crowder, Jill Matlock, Jennifer Land, Monica Monsivaiz, Lea Fisher, Lori Rakestraw.

Caroling from the choir loft, the elementary singers keep all eyes on their director.

The Singing Saints sing their favorite Christmas songs at the Christmas musical.

Catching the Can Senior Gary Keester and Junior Charles Pokladnik have a good laugh while dividing the canned goods in the lobby of the Veal gym.



Spanish Club Officers: From Left: Robin Kaup, Jeimi James, Kevin Couch, Rachelle Hast, Charlie Garcia, Allison Loeb, Deana Kinamon, and Debbie Poe. These officers are appointed from the Spanish III class.

Spanish Club. Requirements for membership include enrollment in a Spanish class and invitation, a ritual of collecting pennies for Fritos, eating baby food, and memorizing as much Spanish as possible.

Getting into the Christmas spirit, Sophomore Rachelle Hast holds a Christmas ornament while Senior Kevin Couch imitates mistletoe.

Looking beyond themselves, Clubs aid need families

Touching many lives, this year the FCA and Spanish Club have done much more than hold meetings and have parties. They have reached out with helping hands and caring hearts.

The FCA met one Sunday afternoon in November and decided to help five families have a happier Thanksgiving. Within the next two weeks, two large boxes were filled to the brim with canned and dry goods, members also passed jars around to be filled with money during lunch and in between class periods.

In all, the athletes raised over $200.00. Each family received a box and a bag of groceries, eggs, a bag of potatoes, a gallon of milk, and a large turkey.

Junior Jodilynn Brittain enjoyed the entire, fun-filled project. "The ride was the best, but I also enjoyed visiting the Hispanic woman" she said. "It made me thankful for what I have."

The spirit of giving was also evident in the Spanish Club. Concern for others grew into a Christmas project for the family of an F.B.A. custodian. By December 15, a table in Mrs. Plexco's room was filled with presents for the children. A bag of groceries, a poinsettia, and a Christmas tree were also brought for the entire family.

Mrs. Dorylee Plexco, head of the club, was talking to a Spanish-speaking custodian and found that he had two children (a boy, two years old, and a girl, five years of age). Mrs. Plexco wanted that family to have a great Christmas, so she asked her Spanish club to buy small gifts for the children and bring them to school.

FCA Officers: From Left: Jason Chalker, Kelli Allen, Jamie Howard, and Paul Wilson.

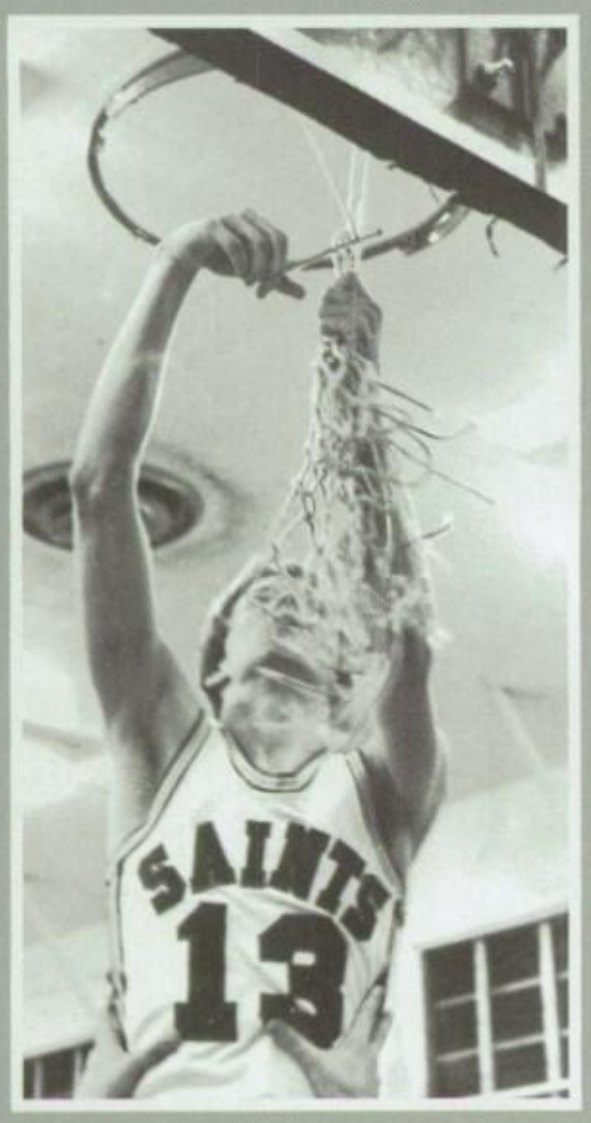
Fellowship of Christian Athletes: Under the leadership of Coach Herb Baker, the FCA grew in activities as well as number.

Senior Robin Kaup and Jeimi James add joy to the Christmas of the two Spanish children by adding their gifts to the growing pile of presents.

Sophomore Debbie Pokladnik smiles despite a famous "no-nonsense" look from volleyball coach, Miss Fary.

Chris Coggins, Billy Lambert and Gary Don Lambert prepare to run at the track meet in Waco.

Supported by his teammates, Senior Captain Heath Rice cuts down the net after the 66 to 54 win over Fort Worth Christian that clenched the 5th District Championship in a row for the Saints.



SPORTS

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Close calls . . .

Team pride yields last minute efforts but NO PLAYOFFS

CLOSE CALLS . . .
SAINTS PRIDE, LAST MINUTE EFFORTS
BUT NO PLAYOFFS

The 1986 Saints football team was one of experience, high potential and strong determination to win. The season was filled with comebacks, controversial plays, and great individual performances, and the true spirit of Saints Pride.

The Saints opened their season against three tough opponents. They narrowly lost to Bishop Dunne and Crandall, but showed great effort in an impressive second half against Greenhill. The Saints then soundly defeated Tyler Gorman and pulled out a close one over a tough Ft. Worth Country Day team.

District play began with a victory over Garland Christian. The next week was the big showdown against Dallas Christian. Despite a few questionable calls by the officials and some untimely turnovers, the Saints never gave up. They lost 28-16 and dropped their district record to 1-1.

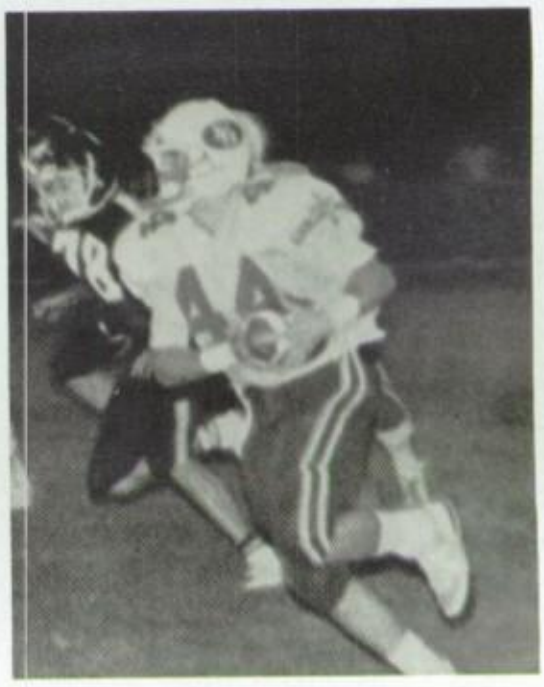
The team didn't fade after a disappointing loss. They came back and convincingly defeated Trinity-Cedar Hill 59-28. The next game against Ft. Worth Christian was a must win if the Saints were to make the playoffs. They held a strong Cardinal team to just 14 points but could not score more than 6.

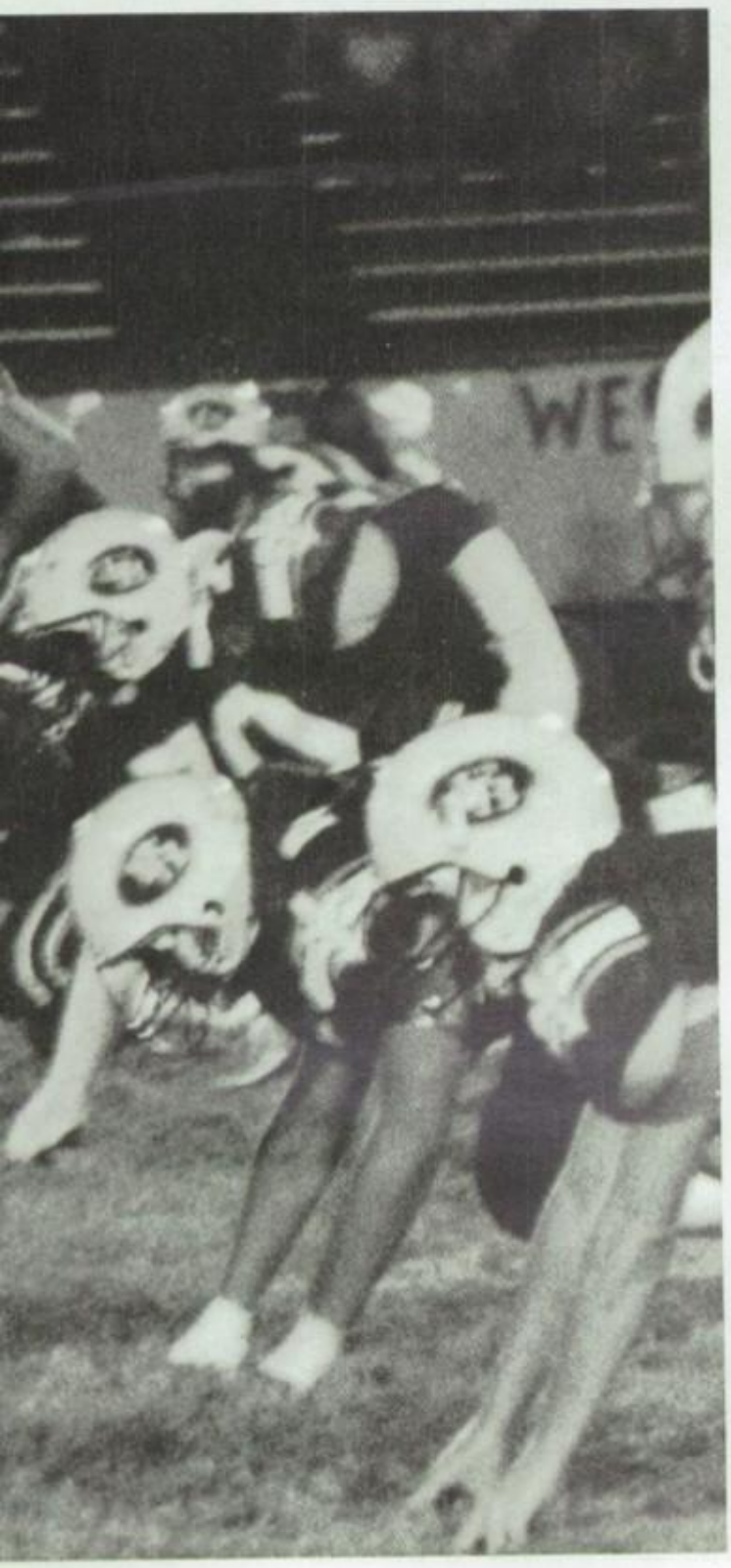
The last game of the season was against Trinity Christian. The Saints found themselves behind early but came back late in the game and almost won. With no time left a Trojan runner dove over the defense from the 1-yard line but it appeared he was down before he reached the endzone. The official saw otherwise and ruled it was a touchdown. The Saints lost 27-23. Their district record was 2-3 and not good enough to make the playoffs.

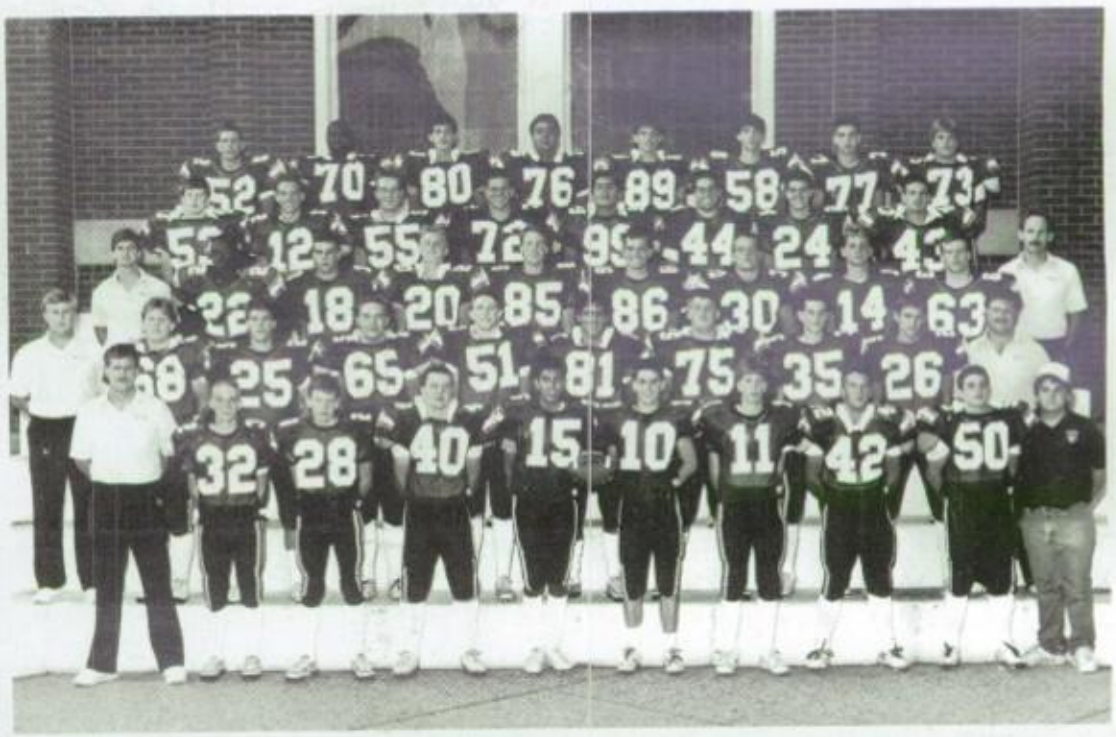
The Falcon quarterback checks his signals after being confused by a well-coached Saints defense.

Jason Petty prepares to cover a Trinity-Cedar Hill receiver.

After racing for a long gain (right), Andrew Embry takes a well-deserved breather.







VARSITY FOOTBALL: (front, from left) Coach Martin, K. Sutton, B. Danielson, D. England, J. Torres, A. Kadane, D. Barringer, T. Stavely, J. Sawyer, A. Methene (second row) Coach Hendrickson, B. Powell, M. Downs, R. Johnson, J. Petty, E. Sevadjian, S. Lott, J. Mitro, C. Pokladnik, Coach Bowman (third row) Coach Angel, J. Howard, M. Bryant, M. Rasberry, G. Higgins, T. Kriechbaum, F. Williams, T. Scott, D. Walker, Coach Baker, (fourth row) P. Sexton, R. Wise, K. Youngblood, J. Chalker, R. Castillo, A. Embry, K. Mills, R. Bourdene, (fifth row) G. Keester, F. Ryans, K. McKim, K. Monsivaiz, K. McKim, C. Prachyl, P. Garret, N. Flagg

Saints defense surrounds the ball.

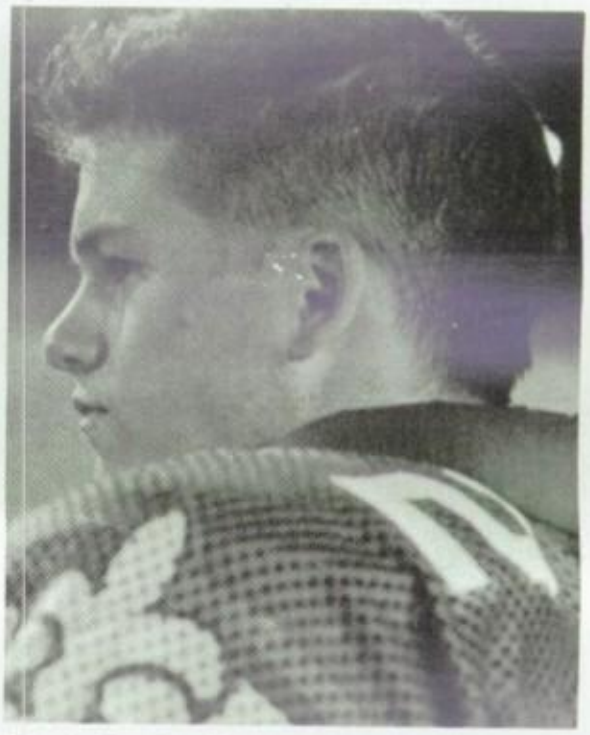
Team Captain, Gary Keester, walks to midfield for the opening coin toss.

Watching for the connection, quarterback Matt Bryant, waits for his receiver to come up with the ball.

Kevin Mills and Bo Danielson anxiously await for the ball to go through the uprights.

Gary Keester and Mokie Rasberry fight off blockers enroute to the Crandall ball carrier.

Between tackles, senior Jason Chalker watches the offense from the sidelines.



Doyle England attempts to elude an opposing defender.

And one makes Three
Saints continue their district reign

Billed as a rebuilding year, the 1987 team surprised Saint fans by bringing home the TAPS state championship trophy for the third consecutive year. The team overcame many obstacles to clinch its 27-4 record.

Only seniors Heath Rice and Chris Coggins had significant varsity playing time. Although the team had little varsity experience or depth, the squad was fortunate not to be plagued with major injuries or eligibility problems.

In a Christmas holiday slump, the Saints dropped 3 of 5 games. In spite of a tough non-district schedule, they lost only one other game and demolished their district opponents to finish 10-0 in district for the fifth straight year.

The team was led by its captain, Heath Rice, who was named by TAPS officials as District I MVP, TAPS All State and All Star and TAPS All Tournament Team Member.

Senior Chris Coggins accumulated the points and rebounds to earn him spots on the TAPS District I team and the TAPS All State Tournament Team. He was also chosen as a TAPS All Star.

Other All State Tournament team members were juniors Steve Black and Scott Thompson.

At the end of a successful year, Coach Joel Pittman commented, "What made the season special was the fact that I had dedicated it to my father following his death last summer."

Chris Coggins powers the ball up to the hoop, displaying inside strength.

Under pressure, Heath Rice rejects a St. Marks turnover attempt.

VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL: Coach Joel Pittman, Marty Nichols, **From Left:** Doyle England, Craven Coates, Scott Thompson, Heath Rice, Chris Coggins, Steven Black, Matthew Thompson, Doug Shepherd, Todd Young.

Three in a row, the Saints gladly except their third straight state championship trophy.

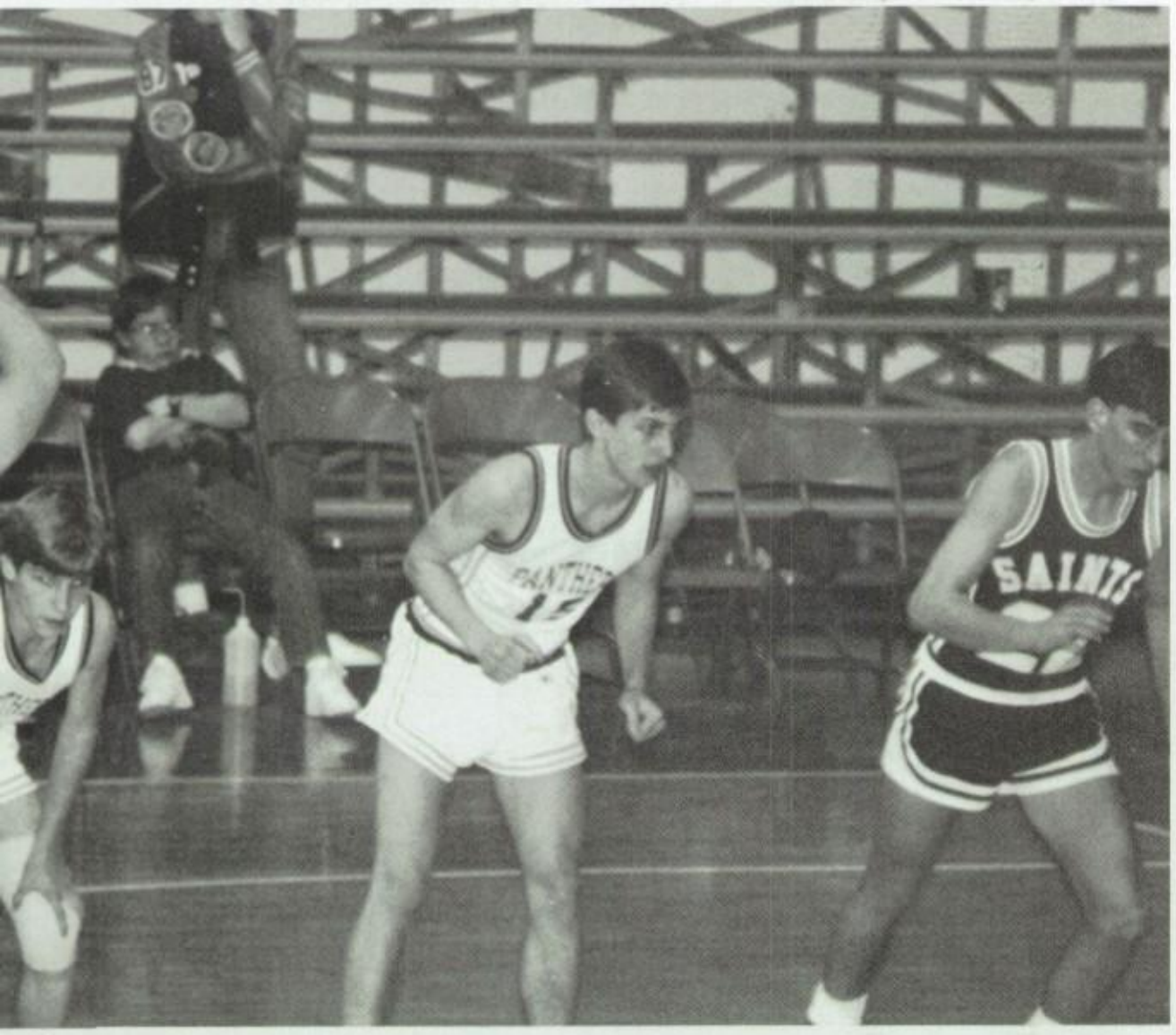
Showing his leadership skills, Todd Young attempts to set the Saints up in an offense.

The look of anticipation is obvious on the faces of Coach Pittman and Coach Nichols.

Air Black. Steven Black goes high over a Ft. Worth Christian defender.

Craven Coates proves to be too slippery for a double-team from two Hyde Park defenders.

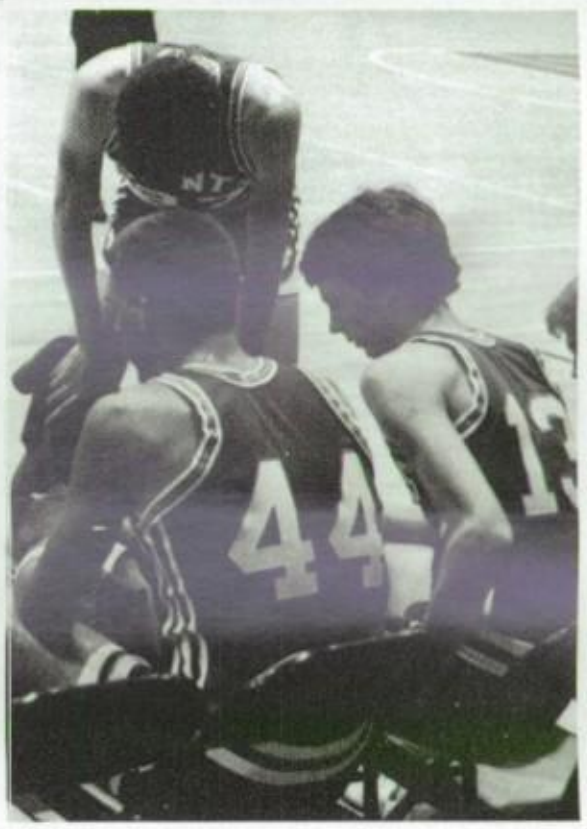
Blocking out his man, Junior Scott Thompson watches for the rebound.



Doyle England attempts a free throw while Chris Messick tries to move in for good position.

The scoreboard tells the whole story, as Heath Rice puts up a shot against 4-AAAA Colony.

Seniors Heath Rice and Chris Coggins and junior Steve Black keep their eyes on plays during a time out.



The Saints bench celebrates as the clinching free throws go in at the championship game.

VARSITY BASEBALL: Front, From Left: David Barringer, Jason March. *Middle,* Jamie Howard, Alan Gatton, David Grandstaff, Andrew Hill, Chris Messick, Mark Johnson, Kyle Carter, Ricky Spruell. *Back,* Coach Don Hendrickson, Kevin Mills, Andrew Embry, Gary Keester, Brian Hurd, Ray Deaton, Matt Bryant, Emile Sevadjian, Coach Steve Adair.

Getting his signals straight, Coach Steve Adair makes sure the catcher calls the right pitch.

varsity baseball

Saints stopped

Episcopal thwarts plans for another state championship

Once again the Saints were unstoppable in their quest for the state playoffs. For the fourth year in a row, the team has won district and gone to state, this time placing third.

The first day of state competition was disappointing for Saints, who brought home the first place trophy for the last three years. With an early lead in game one, the Saints led until the eighth inning when Episcopal of Houston scored twice to win 7-5.

Most team members and fans agree about the best game of the year. "Nolan," said senior Brian Hurd. "We won in extra innings and got to go to state."

According to the players, the play that is the most fun to execute is "the tummy play." To distract the pitcher from the runner on second base, the first base runner makes a play for second then crawls back to first on his tummy.

This year's team was laden with honors. Senior Kevin Mills won MVP and Andrew Embry received the Jim Adair Award.

TAPS honors included All State Tournament team members Andrew Embry, Kevin Mills and sophomore Chris Messick. All District Team 1 members were Emile Sevadjian, Kevin Mills, Matty Bryant, Chris Messick and Andrew Embry, who was named player of the year.

With an eye on the pop fly, senior Kevin Mills and junior Emile Sevadjian await the catch.

Winding up for the pitch, sophomore Chris Messick prepares to throw a strike.

Up, Up, and away. Senior Andrew Embry watches as he puts another one over the fence.

Awaiting the catch, sophomore Ray Deaton "Ray Ray" gets in the position to get the out.

Solid hit! Junior Matt Bryant sends it into left field.

Rally caps! During a losing effort against Ft. Worth Christian, senior Kevin Mills "Inky" and junior Matt Bryant "Rookie" attempt to help gain team momentum wearing their caps backward as a team signal.

Using perfect form, senior Kevin Mills attempts to throw an opponent out at first base.

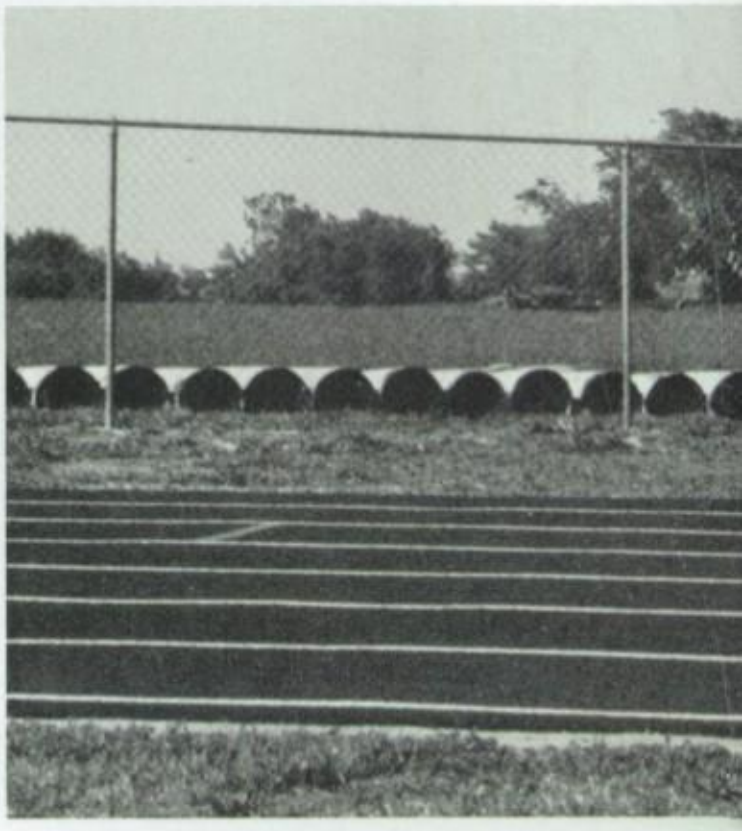
Another trip home, Senior Andrew Embry "Du" is congratulated by his teammates for a job well done.

Got it covered. Senior Andrew Embry calls for the catch while shortstop Ray Deaton covers second base.

Discussing the various pitches, senior Brian Hurd "B" and junior Emile Sevadjian "Clyde" have a conference on the mound.

Flying high in right field. Sophomore Chris Messick "Mess" makes another fabulous hit.

Making his move, Todd Newsom passes a runner in the mile.



Billy Lambert awaits the gun for his 200 meter sprint.

Gary Don Lambert achieves the position which enables him to win the 2 mile.

Jason Chalker prepares to throw a state-qualifying throw at the District meet.

The Guys Varsity Team **L to R, Front Row:** Thomas Thompson, Todd Newsom, Gary Don Lambert. **Second Row,** Billy Lambert, Mokie Raspberry, Stephen Lott. **Third Row,** Coach Herb Baker, Jason Chalker. **Not Pictured,** Randy Rogers, Fred Williams.

Hurdling through the air, Mokie Rasberry pushes himself to the limit.

Jason Chalker and Jon Sawyer are in awe of Fred Williams physique and form in the discus.

varsity boys track

and then there were

Committed few learn discipline

Forced to overcome great odds for an outstanding year, by a team which slowly dwindled from 30 to 8, the team had a rushed start this season. With minimal protection, the varsity boys went to the Wylie Track meet.

"Although we were few in number, we learned that with hard work and commitment we could improve ourselves no matter what talents we began with," commented Coach Herb Baker. However, the team was plagued with late starts and injuries up until the District meet.

Jason Chalker qualified to go to Waco in the Shot Put. Gary Don Lambert not only qualified for state in the mile and 2 mile run, but had the fastest time in the state for the 3200 meter run.

Coach Baker remarked, "Hopefully the discipline we learned for our physical bodies will continue to help us throughout our life as we discipline ourselves to be followers of Christ."

VARSITY GOLF: From Left, Robby Johnson, Paul Wilson, Roger Wise, Tony Stavely, Doug Shepherd, Brad Fogerty, Eric Miller, Ed Harris, Coach Marty Nichols.

Senior Robby Johnson plays it out of the rough.

Teed off

Determination can't quite deliver

Four determined seniors, including team M.V.P. Paul Wilson, were teed off and they had reason to be. They had their minds made up that they were going out on top.

With their attitude of determination, the team had the right outlook, but they lacked consistency.

In a last minute effort, the team qualified for state the day before the deadline.

They traveled to Waco for the tournament where Paul Wilson was low man with an 84. Other team members had good games, but their efforts weren't quite enough.

M.V.P., Paul Wilson, gives a drive all he's got and a whole lot more.

Making par, a perfect swing is the key to the game.

Tony Stavely executes a perfect drive.

Coach Marty Nichols gives advice on a difficult shot.

Shuffling back and forth, Geoff Brown waits for his opponents return.

Jamie Berry takes a breather from her strenuous tennis workout.

Annissa Garcia shows her M.V.P. form and delivers a powerful forehand over the net.

Sharing his vast knowledge of tennis, Coach Pittman discusses the tournament with another team's coach.

Scott Thompson claims himself as number one, but Liz Bell laughs at the thought.

varsity tennis

Court coverage

Team makes a good showing in district play

Although the Tennis team did not receive much recognition during the season, they certainly did prove that they knew what they were doing.

The Saints were district runner-up, and they placed fairly well in non-district play. Young and inexperienced, the team was still successful.

Sophomore Annissa Garcia and Junior Geoff Brown were the teams M.V.P.'s and were instrumental in leading the attack on the Saint's opponents.

Tennis Team Top, From Left: Scott Thompson, Steven Black, Coach Joel Pittman, Jennifer Lewis, Jamie Berry. *Bottom Row,* Greg Wagner, Geoff Brown, Jeff Scarborough, Liz Bell, Anissa Garcia.

Melody McKim goes up for another spike.

Staci Runnels passes the ball to a teammate.

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL: (front, from left) W. Bearden, D. Pokladnik, A. Cade, H. Hayes, K. Estes (back) Coach Lisa Finch, S. Schragin, M. McKim, S. Runnels, L. Wise, Coach Linda Green

varsity volleyball —
on the mend . . .
New strategies bring the taste of victory

Coming into a new year with the memories of last year's winless season, the girls' efforts made this season different.

Finishing the season a respectable 6 and 10 the squad used several new patterns of court coverage and skill tactics to ready themselves for the opposing players.

Several new players also added a great deal to the team, Melody McKim a 5′ 10″ surprise from home school, not only added height but also a great spike. Sophomore Angela Cade joined the starting lineup in her first year on the volleyball court.

Returning from knee surgery, Staci Runnels added a new dimension to the offense as a second setter, and as a spiker. New coach, Lisa Finch, brought enthusiasm to the girls this season, with her fresh ideas and new coaching concepts. Coach Linda Green finished her final season as the Saints coach because of the approaching birth of her first child.

Serving, the key to volleyball offense, is demonstrated by junior, Holly Hayes.

Coach Green encourages her players during a time out.

Holly Hayes finishes the play by putting the ball over the net.

The perfect jumpshot, Junior Meredith Foster scores two against the rough Garland Christian Swordsmen.

Before the start of the game, Coach David Melton leads his team in prayer.

All eyes on the ball, Senior Staci Runnels and junior Wendi Shaw wait for the rebound.

Anticipating two points, junior Wendi Shaw puts it to the hoop.

A season high

Girls advance to regional play

Ending district play with a 9-1 record, the Varsity girls flew down to Houston for regionals after clinching District Co-Champs.

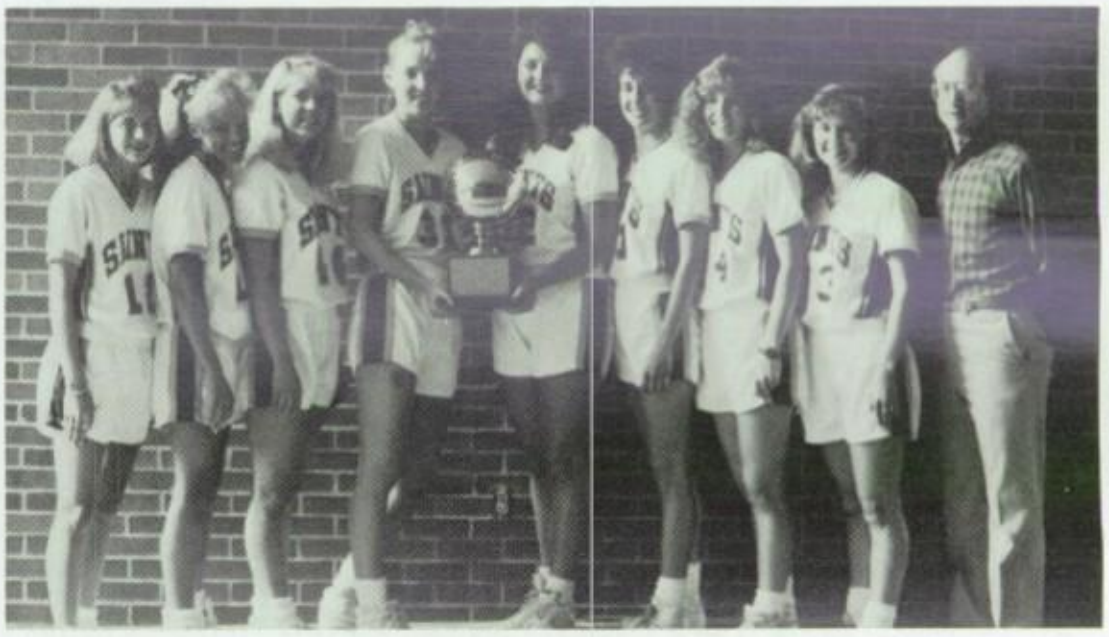
"It was our saddest game," remembers junior Meredith Foster. "Houston was not a very good team and we lost to them."

Each girl had to agree her favorite game was against Ft. Worth Christian. "We won by one point at home to be co-district champs and go to the play-offs," said sophomore Angela Cade.

The year was not all serious moments. "We were playing Ursaline and I fouled out in the first quarter," said Senior Staci Runnels.

Many girls this year were selected as T.A.P.S. athletes: First team — Staci Runnels and Melody McKim; Second team — Wendi Shaw; Honorable Mention — Melissa Leonard, Meredith Foster and Angela Cade.

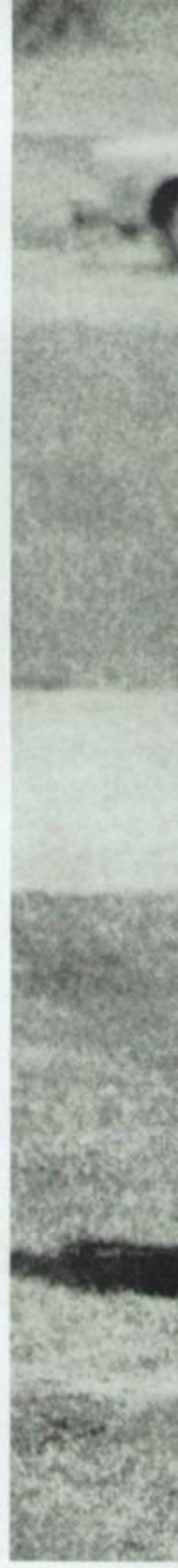
Sucking on her water bottle, junior Wendi Shaw quenches her thirst.



Varsity Girls Basketball: Left, From Right: Meredith Foster, Angela Cade, Staci Runnels, Wendi Shaw, Melody McKim, Sophie Schragin, LeighAnn Wise, Melissa Leonard, and Coach David Melton.

Melissa Leonard decides whether or not to lead off first.

As Staci Runnels contemplates the pitch, Melissa Leonard waits intently.



varsity softball

A slow start

Girls finish season with a bang and a trophy

A slow start did not stop the Saints from setting their sights on a state championship. With an undefeated district record of 10-0 and overall record of 17-4, the girls had a terrific season.

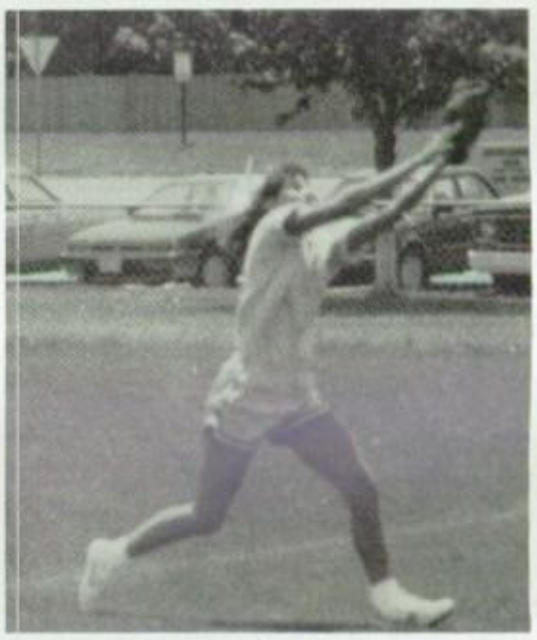
With a heart-stopping finish at the state championship game in Waco, Angela Cade's bunt brought home the winning run to earn the Saints their first state trophy since 1985.

When asked to sum up this year, sophomore Kristen Estes said, "We all had lots of fun together and winning state made it all worthwhile."

The girls also made a good showing at the All State and District teams with Cathy Godfrey, Staci Runnels, and Holly Hayes qualifying both teams and Melissa Leonard being chosen for District. Second team members include Leigh Ann Wise, Kristen Estes, and Angela Cade. Receiving Honorable Mention were Meredith Foster, Andrea Rodriguez, and Pam Henry.

The Lady Saints take time out to have a conference on the mound.

Junior Meredith Foster stretches to catch a pop fly.



Andrea Rodriguez prepares to put another one away.

Varsity Softball: From Left, Front: Leigh Ann Wise, Holly Hayes, Cathy Godfrey, Staci Runnels, Melissa Leonard, Meredith Foster, Jackie Chamblee. **Back,** Shandra Lamb, Andrea Rodriguez, Kacy Spates, Angela Cade, Kristen Estes, Pam Henry, Heather Huffman, Coach David Melton.

The Girls Varsity Team **L to R, Front Row:** Regina Raspberry, Krista Tupacz, Kelli Allen, Ashley DeBoard, Jocelyn Patton. **Second Row,** Coach Lisa Finch, Pam Loupot, Wendy Bearden, Miata Cunningham, Amanda Osborne.

Regina Raspberry warms up before her race.

Amanda Osborne hands the baton to Jocelyn in the 400 meter relay.

Krista Tupacz leads her heat in the 400 meter dash.

Small but swift

Determined team makes its mark at state competition

"God gave the Varsity Track team a very productive and triumphant year," replied Coach Lisa Finch when asked about the track season.

Meets were held mostly against 2-A schools so that athletes could compete at a slightly higher level to prepare for the Tom Landry Relay and district competition. By the morning of the Trojan Relay the girls were ready, placing second in both the mile and sprint relays and gained points with Ashley DeBoard's third place win in the 100 meter race.

Wendy Bearden practices her throw before her event.

Jocelyn Patton explains Tyler Street men to Kelli Allen.

The entire girls' track team qualified for state competition at the district meet in Addison. The sprint and mile relay teams placed second, Wendy Bearden took third in both shot and discus, Krista Tupacz placed first in the 400, and senior Ashley DeBoard took third in the 200.

Once at State the team continued to make its mark. The girls' relay team placed third with their fastest time ever of 52.7, while the girls' mile relay matched this effort with a third place finish and a school record of 4:29.

Ashley DeBoard placed fourth in the 200. Also qualifying for state were Pam Loupot, Kelli Allen, Wendy Bearden and Krista Tupacz.

Pam Loupot gives her all in the 800 meter.

In spite of pain . . .

Cheerleaders experience blue ribbon year

Thoroughly drained from five long, hot days of all work and no play, the Varsity Cheerleaders were filled with new excitement when they heard their name announced for the nomination of Award of Excellence. Although they suffered sore muscles and bruised knees, they achieved five blue ribbons and three spirit sticks.

Spending most of the year in a knee brace, Misti Cutsinger did not let her injury keep her from boosting Saints' spirit. Not the only catastrophe, Kelli Allen chipped her tooth with her megaphone while chanting "Two bits, four bits."

A new addition to Varsity Cheerleading, the Senior Flaghangers practiced with the girls and helped them build more creative stunts.

Basketball season began on a controversial note, Varsity Cheerleaders pushed to be able to cheer at more Saints' games. The limited schedule, originally proposed to create a balance in supporting both the guys' and girls' programs.

After sitting in the stands at two home games, the cheerleaders accepted a proposal to include additional games for both guys and girls.

An enthusiastic sponsor, Miss Hollingsworth gets geared up at camp for a year in the stands.

GOTCHA! The varsity cheerleaders tantalize the crowd.

Senior Laura Shanks takes a minute to pose for a snapshot.

With the aid of several Flaghangers, cheerleading stunts reach new heights.

Referred to as the Christmas tree, this stunt puts pressure on head cheerleader, Laura Shanks, who supports the three girls above her.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: (front: from left) Kim Wilson, Julie Payne, Shelly Maines, (second) Head Cheerleader Laura Shanks, Misti Cutsinger, Liza Roeser, (back) Sharon Riffe, Sponsor Pam Hollingsworth.

Juniors, Liza Roeser, Misti Cutsinger, and senior Kelli Allen explode as they show their Saint spirit.

BENCHED FOR GRADES Gary Don Lambert, Randy Rogers, Paul Bernhard still add excitement to the pep rallies.

Varsity Cheerleaders and Flaghangers join together and thank the Lord for a victorious Homecoming game against Garland Christian Academy.

Spirit soars, grades slide squad adds pep to rallies and games

Enjoying a new year of stunts, cheers, and spirit, the Flaghangers learn making the grade can be very hard. Even after missing the last game because of ineligibility, the all-boy team still managed to have a full year of fun. "I enjoyed them because they helped us with stunts and cheers," said senior cheerleader Kelli Allen, "but most of all, I remember how their spirit and enthusiasm added so much to each game!"

THE KICKOFF Brian Hurd supports Senior Kelli Allen while she rings her cowbell at the start of the second half.

HIP-HIP-HOORAY! Flaghangers throw Senior Gary Don Lambert into the air to raise Saint spirit.

Flaghangers huddle together before performing in the Bishop Dunne pep rally.

Flaggers do a "V" on the floor during the Dallas Christian pep rally.

FLAGHANGERS: Front From Left: Bernie the Super Saint. **Second,** Gary Don Lambert, Randy Rogers, Brian Hurd, Paul Bernhard. **Third,** Andrew Cain, Christopher Coggins.

Captain Deana Kinamon and Lieutenant Allison Loeb head up their lines as the Swirlettes perform a hoop routine.

The Swirlette officers enjoy some free time between rehearsals in New York where they performed in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade.

SWIRLETTES: Front, From Left: Lieutenant Ashley DeBoard, Lieutenant Lori Smith, Captain Dana Kinamon, Lieutenant Becky Burnett, Lieutenant Allison Loeb. **Second,** Jenny Marion, Dollie Clark, Dana Vandivort, Katie Hudson, Donna Douhitt, Jackie Chamblee, Ruth Cooper, Cathy Godfrey, Andrea Rodriguez, Leslie Farley, **Back,** Melanie Edwards, Cara Howe, Ashley Berry, Kellie Kile, LaJuana Edwards, Peggy Sterling, Wendi Shaw, Shannon Wofford, Cathy Blackshear, Melissa Leonard, Pam Lupout, Shelly Gunter, Deana Fisher.

drill team

Attracting attention . . .

New outfits and New York-bound officers mark a great year

Nice girls stood together, holding hands, as the final seconds of the final game of their Senior ticked away. These nine Senior Swirlettes began to cry. "It wasn't just because we lost the game,": Captain Deana Kinamon, a four-year veteran of the Drill team said, "It was because I knew I had stepped out on that field for the last time, and it was all over."

Drill Team began this year for the 28-member squad in August at "boot camp." Choreographers came and taught the girls various routines for upcoming games and pep rallies. Altogether the girls learned an amazing 10 routines in only 5 days.

"The most exciting change this year in the Drill Team," according to Sponsor Monica McBrayer, "was the new uniforms. The girls really looked great out there." The girls anxiously waited each week for their uniforms. After several weeks of hopeful prayer, the girls did receive their uniforms a few weeks late. The uniforms were unveiled at the Crandall game.

Swirlette officers were honored this year by being selected to perform in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in New York. FBA officers were the only group from Dallas to go to New York. Once in New York, they joined nearly 300 other girls from around the country and performed on national television on Thanksgiving Day.

Captain Deana Kinamon keeps rookie Leslie Farley in shape at a pep rally.

Wendi Shaw leads her half of the line on the sidelines prior to a half-time performance.

John Torres receives some last minute instruction from Coach Angel before returning to the field.

A scramble for the ball causes a player pile-up.

Coach Martin gives some 4th quarter advice to the J.V.

THE AGONY OF DEFEAT.
During the J.V.'s final game of the season against Trinity, play stopped for 30 minutes while coaches and paramedics attended Todd Scott, whose lower leg snapped as a result of a tackle.

jv football

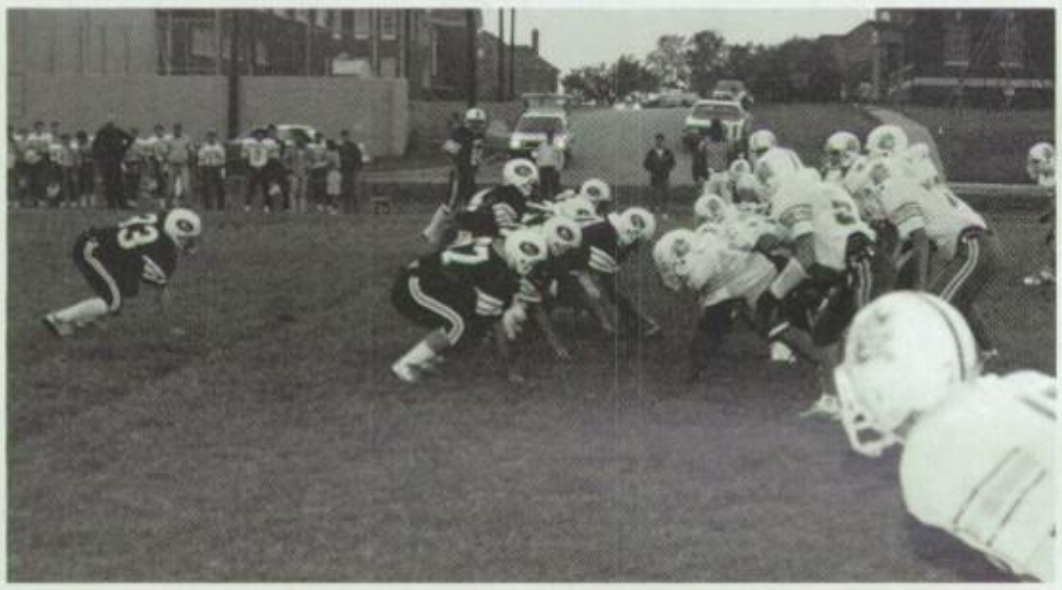
Sad finish . . .

Injury mars end of JV season

The crowds watched as Todd Scott was carried off the field and into the ambulance after he suffered a break to his lower left leg. A year full of learning experiences, ended with the team's loss to Trinity and Todd Scott's injury which kept him a hospital bed for two weeks.

The J.V. football team rounded up the season winning 3 and losing 6, an improvement over last year's single victory.

Mokie breaks away with the ball for a big gain.

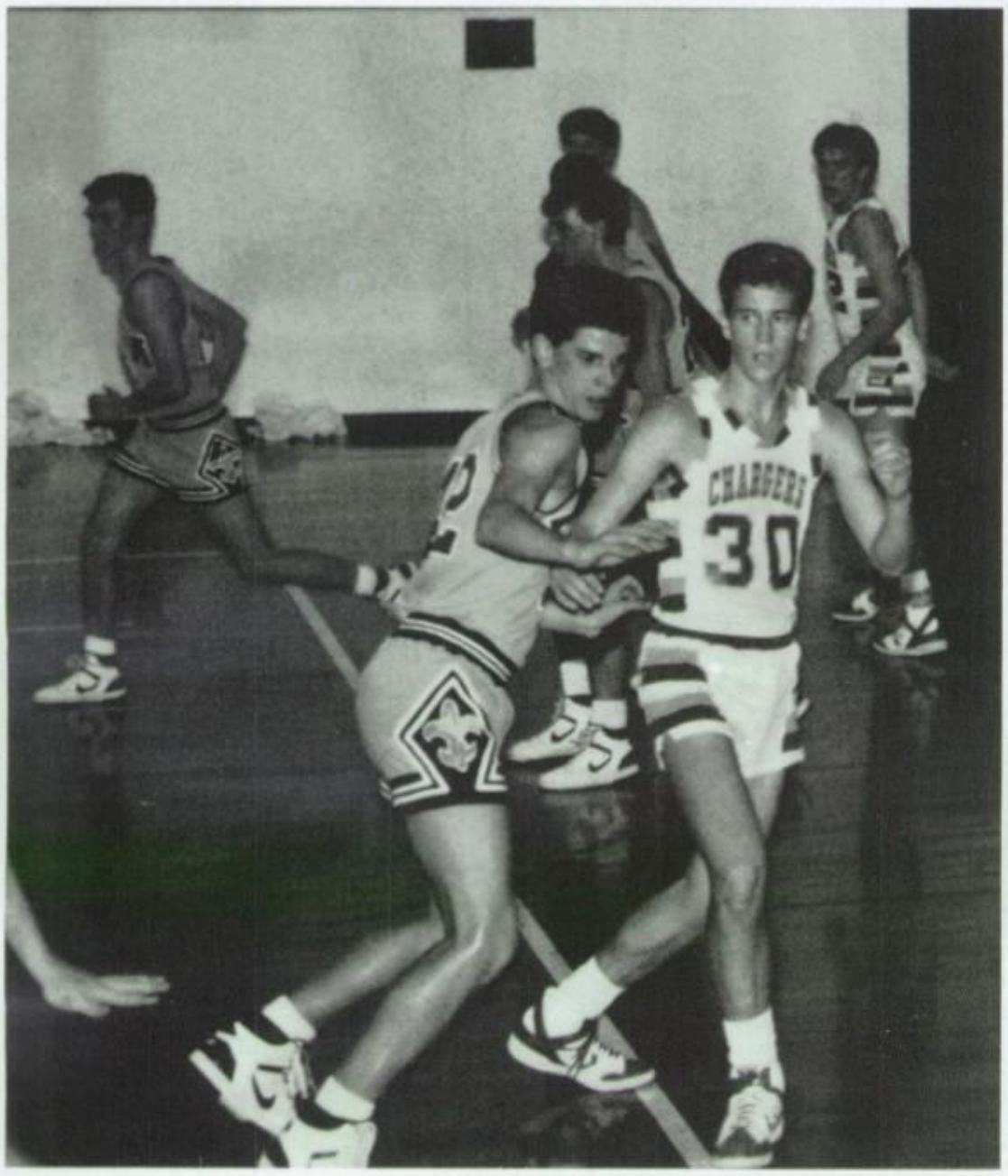


Dallas Christian faces up to the formidable Saints defense.

At first and goal, center, Roland Castillo, prepares to snap the ball to quarterback, John Torres.

Coaches assist the paramedics as they load Todd Scott into the ambulance.

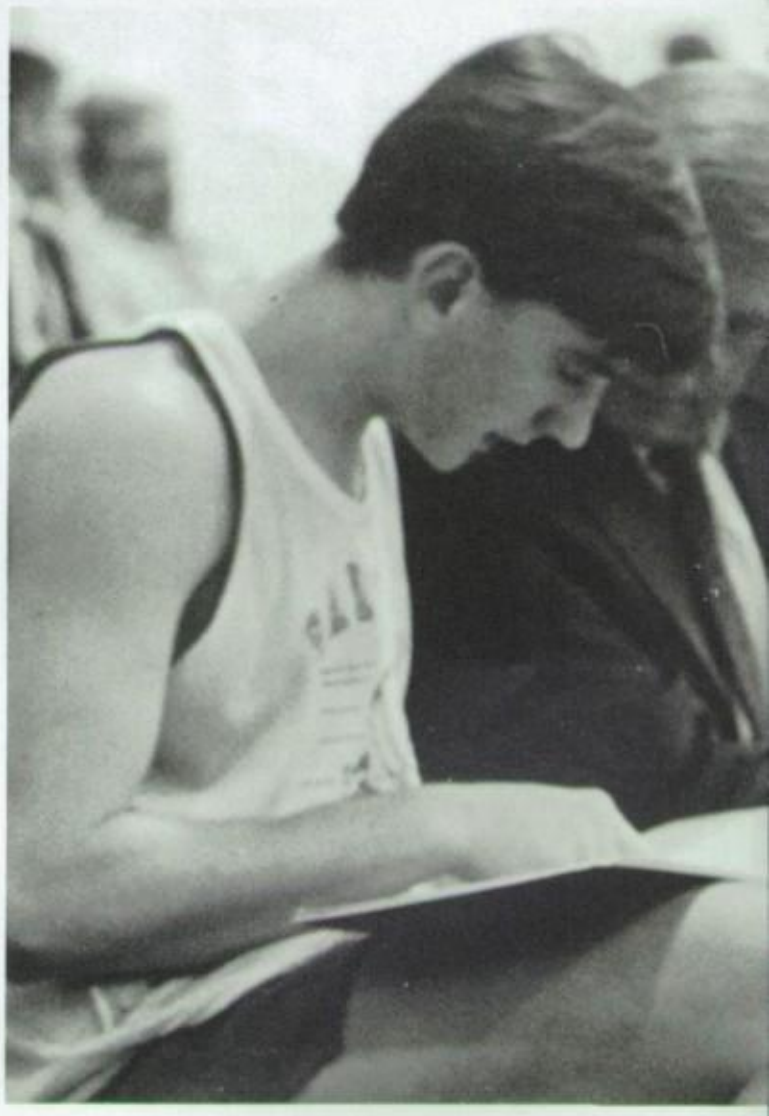
Front From Left: Coach Joel Pittman, Andrew Taylor, Coach Marty Nichols, **Back:** Jason Walker, Doyle England, Andy Kovan, Fabian Ryan, Ken Mkim, Randy Colton, Matthew Thompson, Doug Shepherd, Larry Kalahan, Brad Fogherty, Danny Prescott, James Dean.



Displaying his defensive skills, Sophomore Matt Thompson pressures his man and denies him the ball.

On a perfect layup, Sophomore Chris Messick scores two against Christway Academy.

Checking his stats, Chris Messick compares himself to his opponent with the help of Mr. Johnson.



Showing his jumping ability, Sophomore Randy Colton scores two against Dallas Christian.

Anticipating the ball, Sophomore Mark Johnson prepares for a layup.

– jv boys basketball —

The closing seconds . . .

Boys unable to snag co-championship

"Matt Thompson made the winning shot at the last second buzzer," recalls Sophomore Chris Messick. The leading scorer with an average of fourteen points per game, Chris said his most memorable moment was the season opener against St. Marks.

All memories of the season did not include victory at the buzzer. "The last game of the season and we were playing for the co-champs of the TAPS District 1," said Andy Kovan. "A Ft. Worth Christian player shot a ball in the air and another one of his players caught the ball and scored at the buzzer allowing Ft. Worth the undisputed title of District Champs."

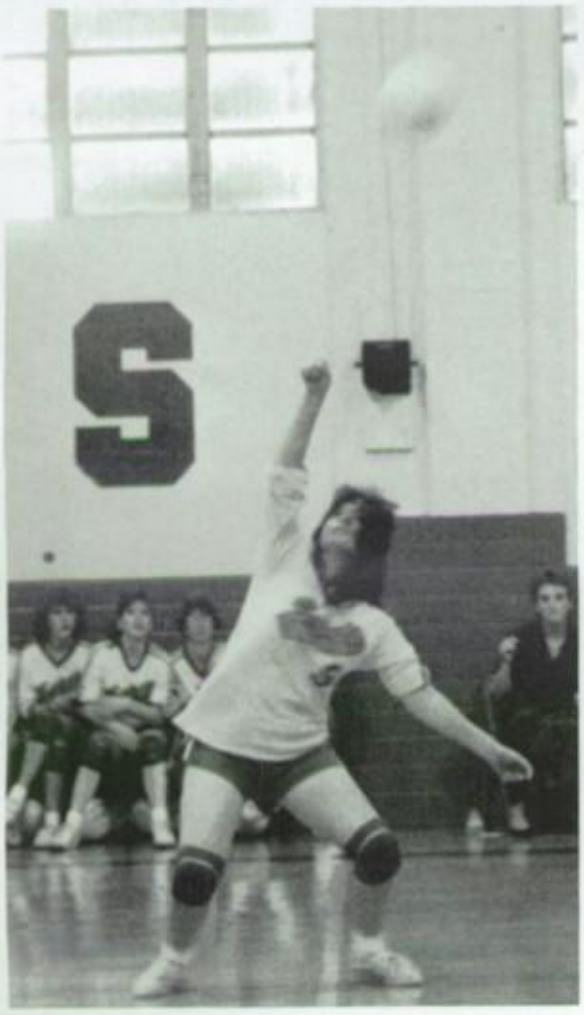
Chalking up a year to experience, the predominately sophomore Junior Varsity ended the year at 10-6 overall and 7-3 in district play.

Able to claim a winning season, but no co-championship, many players can look forward to the chance at varsity basketball.

Meredith Foster waits to pass the ball to setter Jennifer Lewis.

Wendy Bearden hits the ball in an unusual way, but yet still gets it over.

JV VOLLEYBALL: Front, From Left: Jenny Durrett, Leah Bottinger, Meredith Foster, Jemmifer Roeser. **Middle,** Coach Karin Fary, Christie Ashwill, Angela Lowery, Jennifer Lewis, Heather Hoffman, Amy Colton, Tamie Smith. **Back,** Amber Anspacher, Ashley Scott, Kristen Estes, Debbie Pokladnik, Wendy Bearden, Jennifer Blanton.



Success!

Girls overcome great odds for a winning season

A season full of ups and downs, concluded on a positive note when the girls defeated Fort Worth Christian, a team which had knocked the Saints out of top bracket of the Trinity tournament earlier this fall.

Coach Karin Fary enjoyed her first year as the Saints instructor. Both she and the girls learned new skills, and new appreciation for the word teamwork.

The 1986 J.V. Basketball team, however, came out with a more productive season, winning 5-4 games. Christie Ashwill's and Jennifer Lewis' most memorable game was with Fort Worth Christian because they had to play 3 on 3 since half of the team was ineligible and the other two fouled out.

Christie Ashwill waits to take the ball back down the court.

JV BASKETBALL: Front, From Left: La Juana Edwards, Wendy Bearden, Pam Loupot, Christie Ashwill, Jennifer Lewis. **Back,** Shandra Lamm, Andrea Rodriquez, Jennifer Roeser, Kacy Spates, Coach Lisa Finch.

Wendy Bearden hopes to make this shot go in.

jr high & jv cheerleading—

Up close . . .

Cheers for television and an undefeated season

Maybe their names aren't household words in England, but the J.V. Cheerleaders vividly remember their day in the British Broadcasting Company's spotlight. When the British Television Co. filmed an F.B.A. pep rally, the squad thought it would be exciting. However, according to Miata Cunningham, "the film crew got on our nerves." "We thought it was our best cheer," said Jami Smith, "but they kept getting in our faces."

The eight member group began its year at SMU Cheerleading camp, the foundation of all squads. From their first thoughts of disgust in the dorm rooms, the girls rapidly pulled together to win a blue ribbon the last day.

Their "front row" vantage point gave the squad a close look at the pain of football. During the final game of the season, the J.V. Cheerleaders stood and watched Todd Scott be carried off the field after his bones snapped. The game is one of Amanda Osborne's most vivid memories.

Junior High marks the beginning of many new experiences — pep rallies, football games, basketball games and cheering for their classmates.

Making the adjustment to Junior High, the cheerleading squad struggled with the problem of ineligibility. However, their enthusiasm was not dampened by their fluctuating numbers.

The 7th grade football team really gave the girls something to cheer about, finishing the season undefeated in conference play.

JR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS: (front, from left) Janet Packer, Amy Taylor, Catherine Brown, Belinda Foster, Ashley Douthitt, (middle row) Tara Williams, Angie Melton, Lisa Baker, (back) Shannon Talkington

Leading the crowd at Buckner, the Junior High squad helps the crowd encourage the football players.

Making their way through 86, the J.V. cheerleaders perform for the halftime crowd at a home basketball game.

Jami Smith sneaks a glance at the crowd

No pep rally is complete without the upbeat routine of the J.V. cheerleaders

J.V. CHEERLEADERS: (front, from left) Jamie Berry, Amanda Osborne, Kelly Holder, Amy Sconyers, (back) Miata Cunningham, Sonja McGill, Nicole Macaluso, Jami Smith

Shannon Talkington and the other cheerleaders know that their Jr. High team is #1

jr. high football

academic agony . . .

Seventh grade wins district, Eighth cancels games

From the frustration of losing a large percentage of the eighth graders because of grades to the joy of a seventh grade team with an undefeated record in District play, junior high football was filled with emotion.

Seventh graders had the spotlight. Several of them were called upon to play on the eighth grade team to keep from cancelling the season. As a team, the younger group remained unscored upon in District and earned the District Championship.

The eighth grade finished with a winning record at three and two.

Michael Curtis breaks away from the pack.

Eighth Grade Team: (front from left) Paul Kadane, Jason Martin, Jud Hartson, Tyron Nelson, Brent Belvin, Tim Hearon, Jeremy Durrett, (middle) Coach Chandler, Vashon Dacus, Michael Beardon, David Grandstaff, Calvin Cross, Paul Hawkins, Coach Nicholes, (back) Brad Dean, Christian Garcia, Mark Quinn, Chad Wyrostek, Ross Cunningham, Mark Garrett.

Coach Nicholes gives his players a pep talk.

Miguel Interiano prepares to catch the ball.

TOUCHDOWN.
Jim Lively celebrates six points.

Domingo Lazaro takes a run with the ball.

Seventh Grade Team: (front from left) Coach Challender, Domingo Lazaro, Charley Smith, Matthew Martin, Joel Pullis, Michael Curtis, Coach Nicholes, (second row) Clayton Coates, Adam Kadane, Chad Kline, Jim Lively, Paul Wells, Jon Brubaker, (third row) Jeff Barnes, Sean Covin, Jason Jarrett, Greg Cox, Matthew Beecham, Eric Morrison, (last row) Miguel Interiano, Chad Fineske, Paul Parris, Brad Brittain, Kevin Keith, Jason Hardin.

– jr. high basketball —

place-makers

Both teams place in district play

Undisputed District Champs, the 7th grade team concluded a 9-1 season with the help of leading scorers Miguel Interiano and Brad Bittain.

Dominating the league in both football and basketball, the 7th graders proved they were forced to be reckoned with.

According to Coach Peter Challender both Greg Cox and Jeff Barnes improved greatly throughout the season. Coach Challender looks to improve individual discipline in next years season.

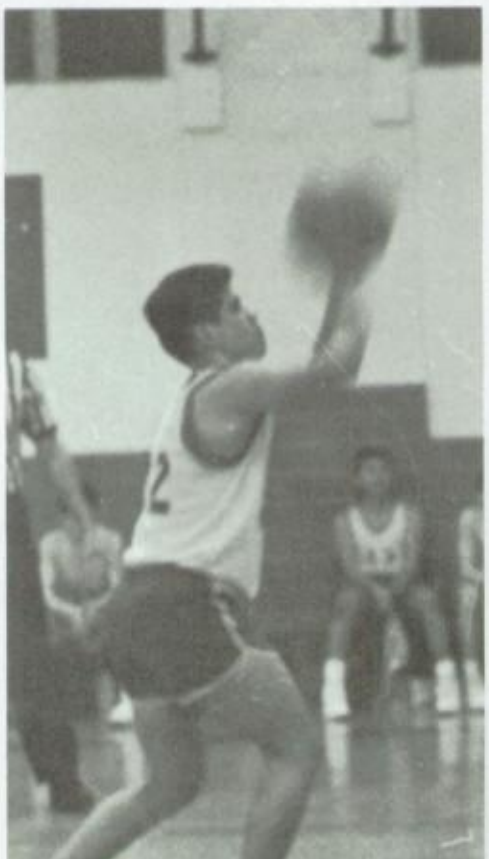
At 8-3 the 8th grade team tied for second place in the district.

"With cheerleaders spurring us on, the team was victorious in spite of close overtime games," said Coach Challender. Coach Challender sees room to improve team efforts, but the individual efforts of Christian Garcia and Calvin Cross, leading scorers, were appreciated.

Credited by their coach with most improvement were Hank Quisenberry and David Grandstaff.

Coach Challender explains to his team the way to win.

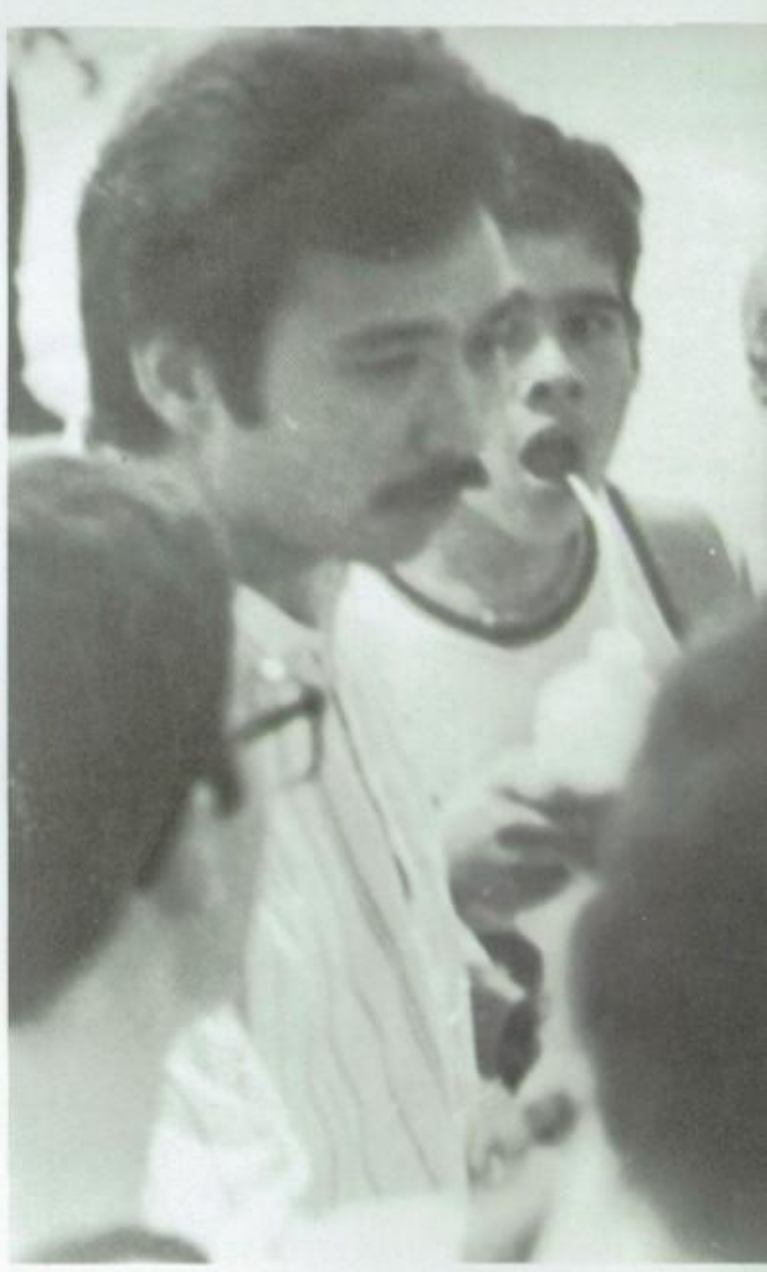
Calvin Cross shoots a crucial free throw shot.



Christian Garcia releases the ball on what could be a deciding point.

Calvin Cross sonks his free throw attempt.

Front Row, Left: John Barnes, Clayton Coates, Greg Cox, Miguel Interiano, Jim Lively, Coach Challender. **Back, Left:** Jeff Barnes, Adam Kadane, Chad Fineske, Brad Bittain, Paul Wells, Matthew Martin.



Coach Challender huddles with his team for some time-out strategy.

Ross Cunningham is ready to get the rebound.

Front, Left: Coach Challender, Jeremy Durrett, Calvin Cross, Michael Bearden, Vashon Dacus, John Baker. **Back, Left:** Christian Garcia, Brian Albrecht, David Grandstaff, Ross Cunningham, David Dodgen, Hank Quisenberry.

in the district race . . .

Junior high runners capture third place honors

Third place trophy was a welcome sight for Jr. High boys track.

This years track team's high numbers evoked "competitiveness like never before," said Coach Martin. The hard work paid off as the boys and girls competed in 4 meets and the boys took third in the district meet.

Mark Quinn was awarded most outstanding trackster of the year.

Laura Moore gives the long jump her best shot.

Mark Quinn takes a big jump.

Coach Flettus, Laura Moore, and Julie Evert talk a little bit of strategy.

Jr. High Girls Track Team: **From Left, First Row:** Ashley Ferguson, Ann James, Stacy Townsley, Rebecca Carreon, Christi Guy, Coach Flettus. **Second Row,** Amber Powell, Shirley Parris, Melissa Payne, Julie Evert, Stephanie Carreon, Laura Moore, Erica Bookman. **Third Row,** Angela Davenport, Jaquita Weaton, Staci Lott, Jill Santiga, Lisa Baker, Leslie Halom, Paulette Neece.

Ross Cunningham, Mark Quinn, Paul Parris, and Christian Garcia take a quick break to rest before they begin the next event.

Calvin Cross gets ready to throw the shotput.

Jr. High Boys Track Team: **From Left, First Row:** Paul Wells, Tim Hearon, Michael Bearden, Brent Belvin, John Brubaker, Coach Martin. **Second Row,** Rob Nielson, Ross Cunningham, Jason Hardin, Calvin Cross, Mark Garrett, Matt Ramsey. **Third Row,** Chad Wrystok, John Baker, Paul Parris, Chris Isovado, Mark Quinn, Christian Garcia.

Teamwork . . .

Young teams master skills to compete

The Jr. High Volleyball team finished its first-ever season with a 4-6 record. The Coach, Mrs. Pam Cresswell, enjoyed the season and thought the team worked very well together.

"Our stats may not have been the best but we gained a lot of valuable experience for next year," said team member Laura Moore.

The Jr. High Basketball team, however, ended with a very respectable 8-2 for the seventh grade and 7-3 for the eighth grade.

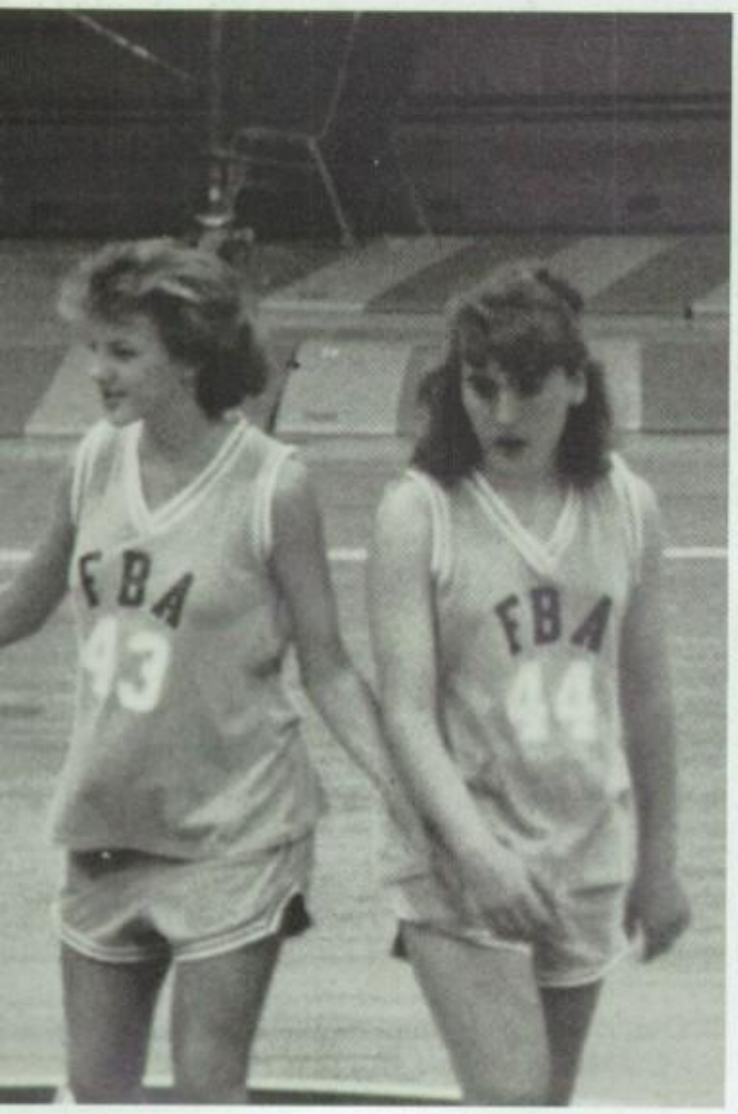
Jaquita Deaton and Angie Melton both enjoyed the game against Dallas Christian because the team really pulled together as one.

JUNIOR HIGH VOLLEYBALL Front, From Left: Coach Pam Cresswell, Stacy Townsley, Ashley Ferguson, Kim Kirby, Brenna Parthmore, Amy Weaver, Cindy Sutten, Laura Moore, Kristi Guy, Jaquita Deaton, Julie Everett, Monica Monsivaiz, Julie Rusk, Sheryl Taylor, LaWanda Ballard.

Brenna Parthmore rares back to serve the ball.

Coach Cresswell, in the midst of her team gives them a pep talk during a time out.

The Jr. High Lady Saints gather to pray before they go on to the court.



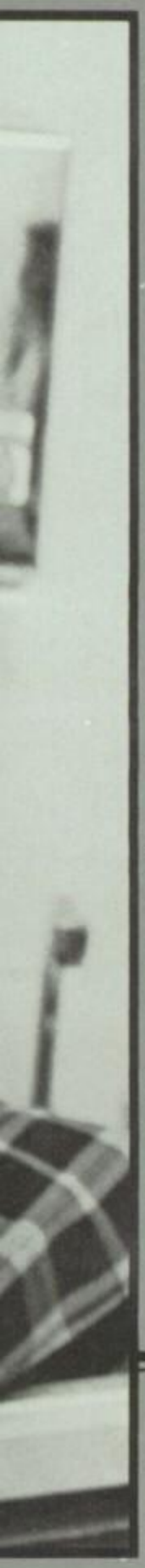
JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL Front, From Left: Stacy Townsley, Brenna Parthmore, Jaquita Deaton, Angie Melton, Amy Weaver, Kim Kirby, Stephanie Carreon, LaWanda Ballard, Laura Moore, Julie Everett, Rebeka Carreon. **Back,** Coach Linda Green, Julie Rusk, Bridgett Harrison, Shannon Welch, Sheryl Taylor, Monica Monsavaiz, Stacy Lott, Lisa Baker.

Breaking out of the huddle, the eighth grade team gets ready for the second half.

Eighth grader, Calvin Cross enjoys the cookies and punch provided by the junior high parents at a party held for the football team.

Ashley Berry looks guilty as she is caught in the act of eating a snack during third period.

Miss MacBrayer's kindergarten kids add spirit as they join the high school in "clap your hands everybody."



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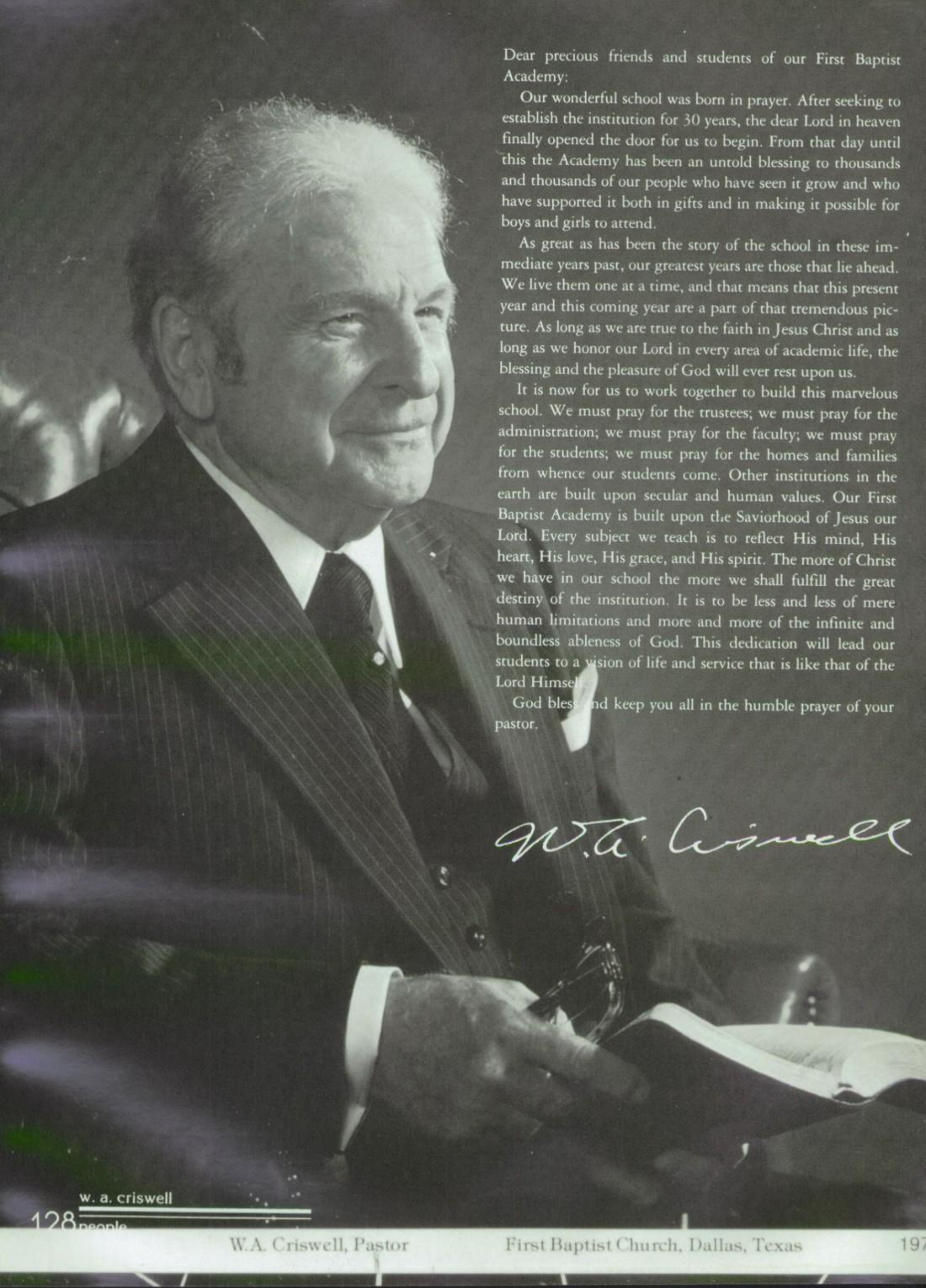


Dear precious friends and students of our First Baptist Academy:

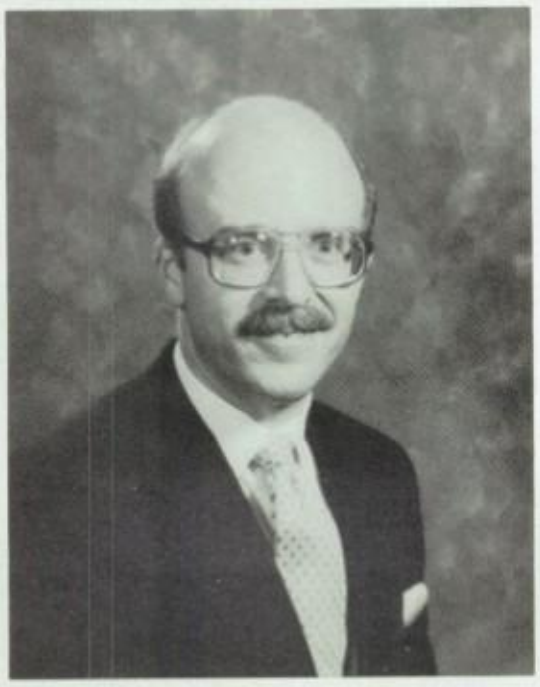
Our wonderful school was born in prayer. After seeking to establish the institution for 30 years, the dear Lord in heaven finally opened the door for us to begin. From that day until this the Academy has been an untold blessing to thousands and thousands of our people who have seen it grow and who have supported it both in gifts and in making it possible for boys and girls to attend.

As great as has been the story of the school in these immediate years past, our greatest years are those that lie ahead. We live them one at a time, and that means that this present year and this coming year are a part of that tremendous picture. As long as we are true to the faith in Jesus Christ and as long as we honor our Lord in every area of academic life, the blessing and the pleasure of God will ever rest upon us.

It is now for us to work together to build this marvelous school. We must pray for the trustees; we must pray for the administration; we must pray for the faculty; we must pray for the students; we must pray for the homes and families from whence our students come. Other institutions in the earth are built upon secular and human values. Our First Baptist Academy is built upon the Saviorhood of Jesus our Lord. Every subject we teach is to reflect His mind, His heart, His love, His grace, and His spirit. The more of Christ we have in our school the more we shall fulfill the great destiny of the institution. It is to be less and less of mere human limitations and more and more of the infinite and boundless ableness of God. This dedication will lead our students to a vision of life and service that is like that of the Lord Himself.

God bless and keep you all in the humble prayer of your pastor.

W.A. Criswell



Mr. Fred Lively
Headmaster

Mrs. Letitia Brittain watches the speaker and awaits her turn to address the parents of new students.

Administration

Tallying up the figures, Mr. Fred Lively speculates on enrollment for next fall.

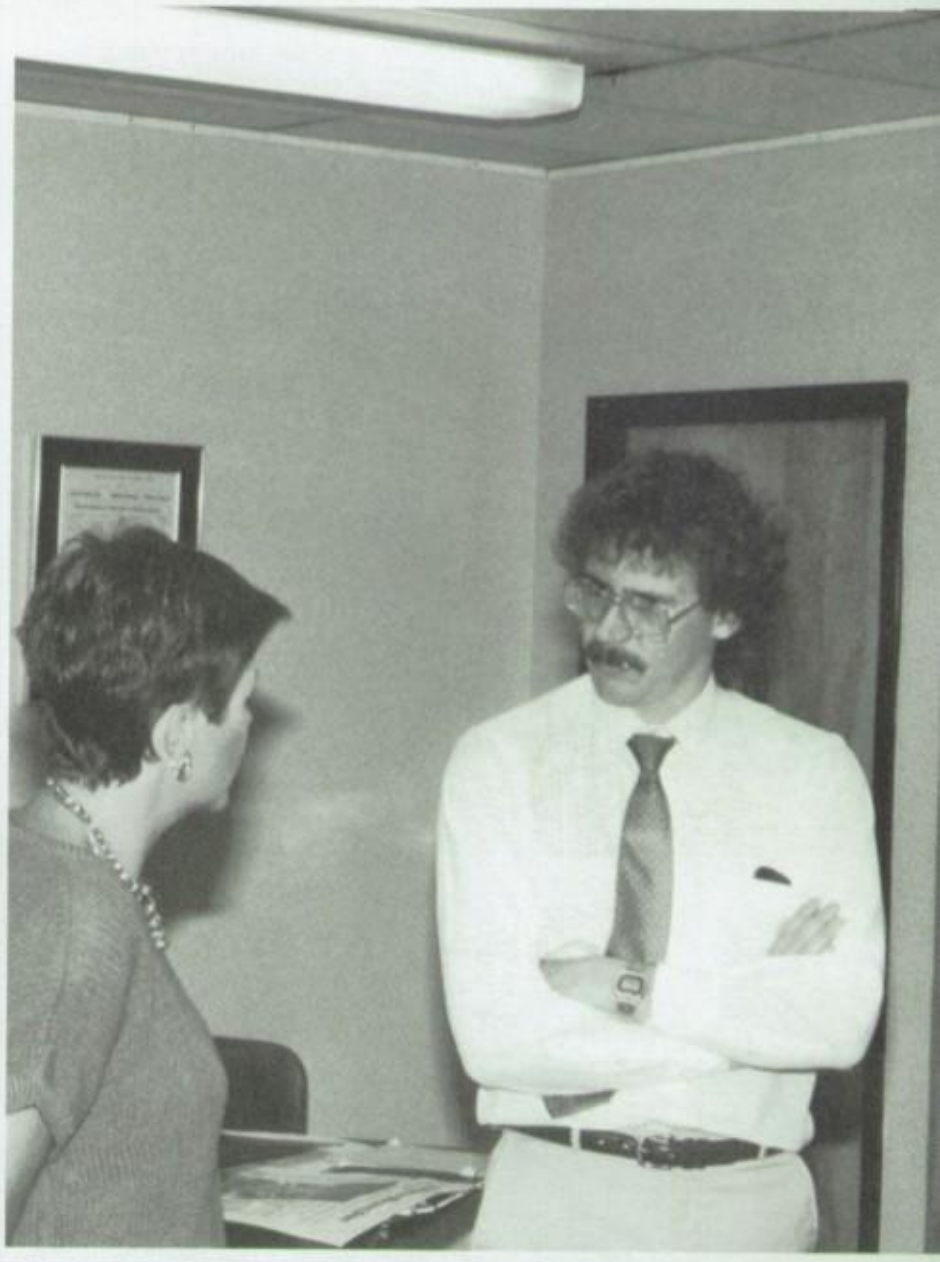
A listening ear, Mrs. Sonja Darr chats with faculty at a special Christmas luncheon.

Mrs. Letitia Brittain
Director of Academic Affairs

Mrs. Sonja Darr
Principal, East Campus

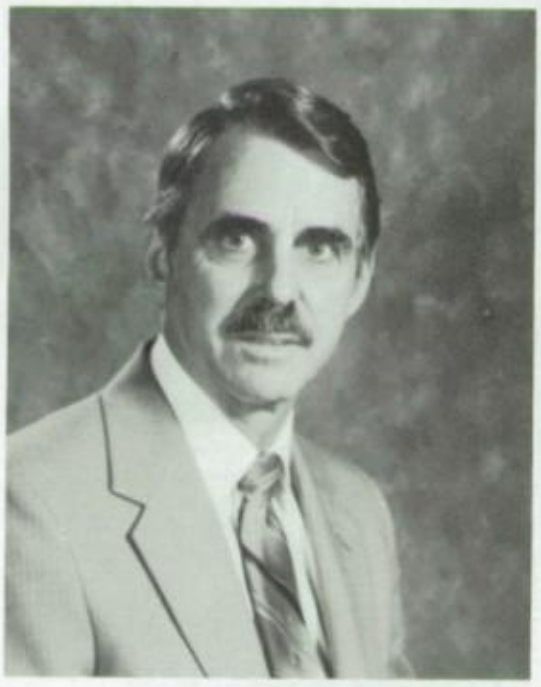
Talking to a team member, Dr. Suzette Estes discusses curriculum with a representative from Southern Associates of Colleges and Schools.

Dr. Suzette Estes
Principal, Secondary

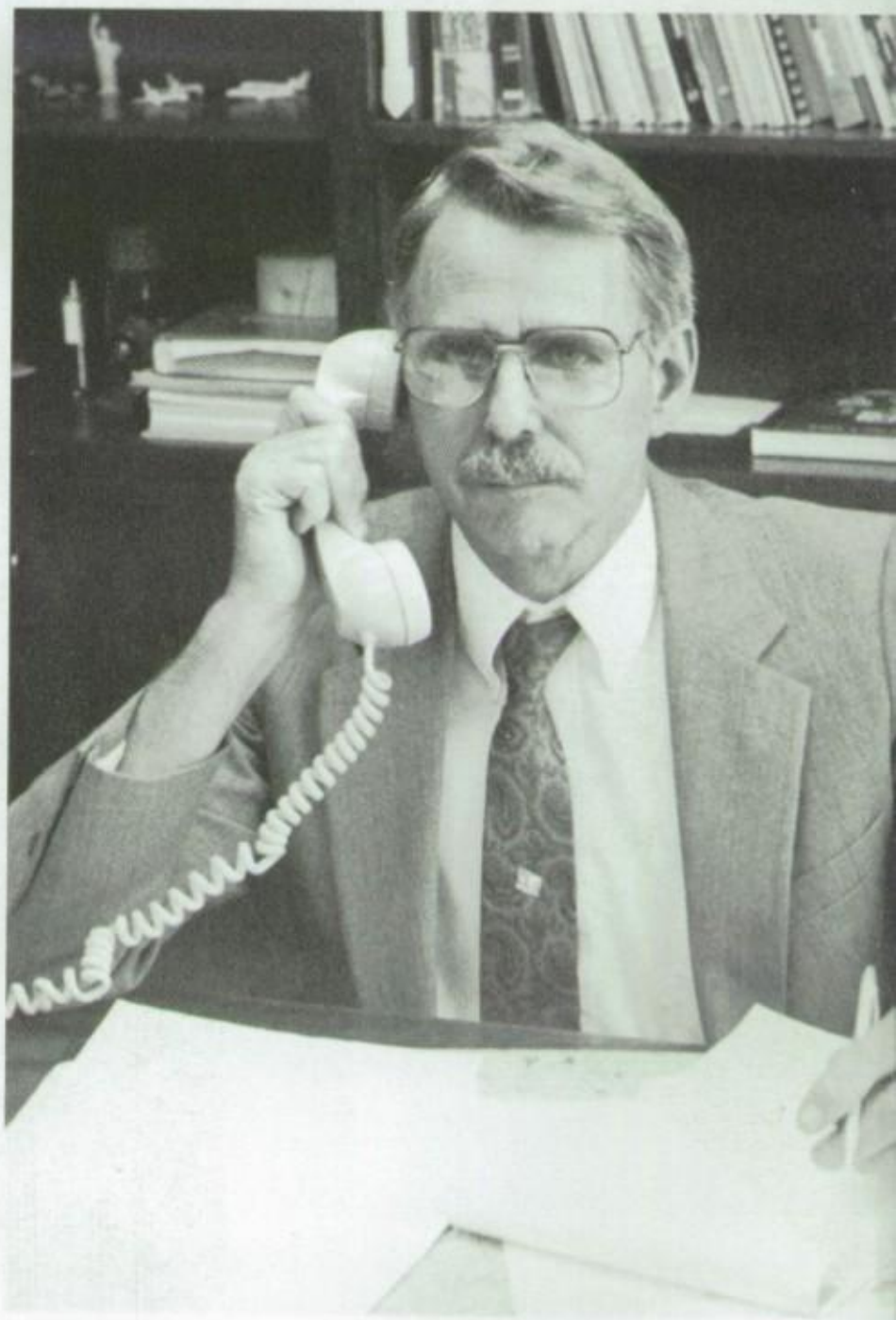


Escorting royalty, Mr. Fred Lively watches the Homecoming game with '85 Queen, Buffie Beazley.

Looking grim, Mr. Gene Brandenberger answers a parent's questions.



Mr. Gene Brandenberger
Principal, Elementary



Miss Hollingsworth
catches the latest gossip.

Face Stuffing 101

Coach Pittman trades his
plaid jacket for a
Hoosiers t-shirt.

Mrs. Cresswell slices herself a piece of
cake at her baby shower.

Sharp Dressed Man

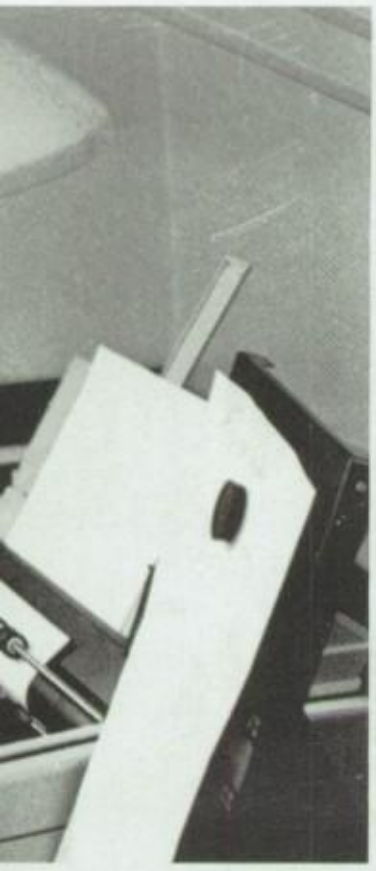
faculty

Kathryn Allen
typing, Greek
Rick Armstrong
chemistry, physics
Herb Baker
coach

Sheila Brown
resource
Peter Challender
computer, math
coach
Pam Cresswell
history

Mary Ann Dillard
business manager
Jody Durrett
English
Carolyn Eldridge
math

Karin Fary
yearbook, English,
coach
Lisa Finch
biology, coach,
science
Delores Fineske
secondary office
manager



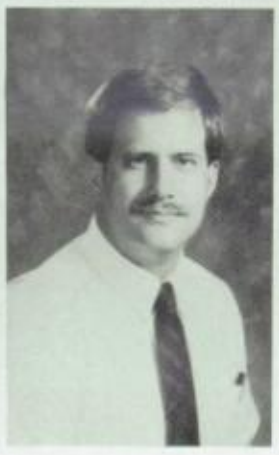
Eva Gass
secretary
Frankie Gatton
accounting, Bible, computer

Linda Green
coach
Don Hendrickson
coach, Bible, physical science

WITH A SMILE ON HER FACE, Mrs. Fineske answers phone.

THE SINGING CHEMISTRY TEACHER. Mr. Armstrong leads his class in a hymn.

Gus Hernandez
athletic director
Karen Hines
home school coordinator
Mark Hines
Dean of Students
Pam Hollingsworth
English, varsity cheerleader sponsor
Cissy Isbell
history, economics, government

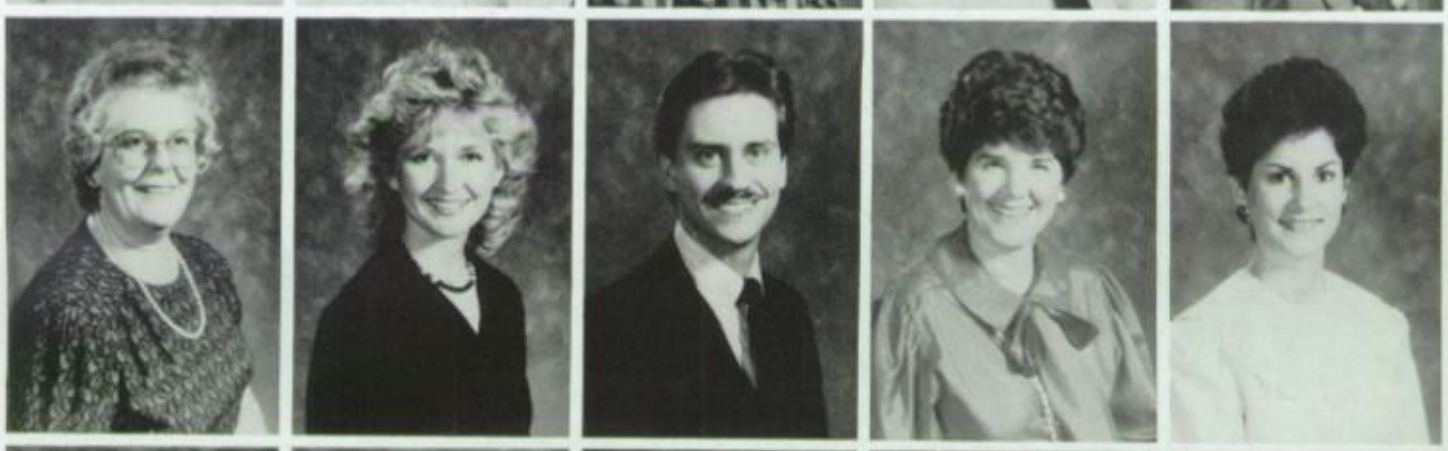


Judy Kayse
speech, theatre arts
Carol Lyons
secretary
Rebecca McCarter
speech consultant
Woody Martin
coach, biology, Bible
David Melton
coach

ZERO BULL CORN. Coach Martin displays the famous motto of the 1986 Football team.

Debbie Melton
secretary
Marty Nichols
Bible, health, coach
Vicki Palmer
English, Bible, jv cheerleader sponsor
Joel Pittman
history, coach
Dorylee Plexco
Spanish

Rosemary Pretlove
English, Bible
Linda Rainwater
home school coordinator
Jim Rathbun
math
Sherry Reynolds
phonics
Kathy Riffe
home school coordinator



Brenda Sewell
nurse
Janice Shanks
librarian
Charlotte Snell
math
Donna Stark
English
Dona Stark
Bible, math

Glenda Talkington
science, Bible, jr. high cheerleader sponsor
Linda Tapson
music
Diane Taylor
librarian

James Taylor
band director
Ola Wall
secretary
Janet White
bookkeeper, secretary

Sandra White
art
Yvonne White
phonics
Linda Wolfe
French, drama

CASUAL PREPARATION. Miss Hollingsworth works hard during the summer before the first day of school.

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: **Left,** Vice-President Amy Kirkpatrick, President Robert Lanier, Secretary-Treasurer Lori Smith.

KELLI ALLEN — *6 years*
J.V. Cheerleader 1
Varsity Cheerleader 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
FCA President 3, 4
Spanish Club 1, 2
Young Life 2, 3, 4

PAUL BERNHARD — *13 years*
Flaghanger 3, 4
Track 3
Spanish Club 2
Baseline Bums 3, 4

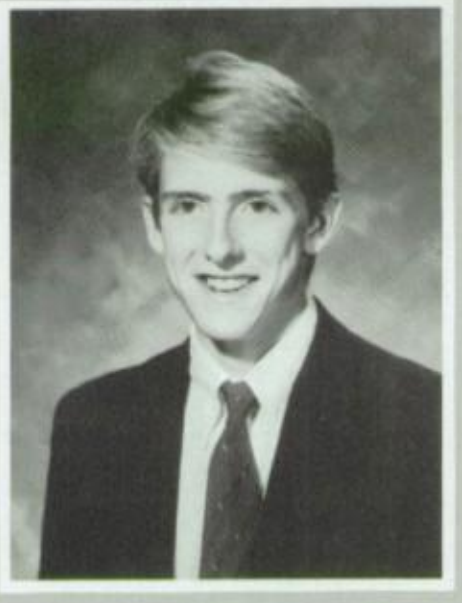
ASHLEY BERRY — *12 years*
Volleyball 1
Basketball 1
Tennis 1
Softball 3
Drill Team 2, 3, 4
Senior Play 4
Secretary-Treasurer 2
Spanish Club 1, 2
FCA 1, 2

ROBERT BOURDENE
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Football captain 4
F.C.A. 2, 3, 4
2nd team all conference 3, 4

ANDREW CAIN — *2 years*
Basketball 3
Flag Hanger 4

JASON CHALKER — *6¼ years*
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Chaplain 2
FCA President 3, 4
Baseline Bums 3, 4
Spanish Club 3
Senior Play 4
Most Talented 4
Football Captain 4
2nd Team All Conference Defensive Line
Most Valuable Defensive Lineman 4
SDAHSS 4

KELLI ALLEN



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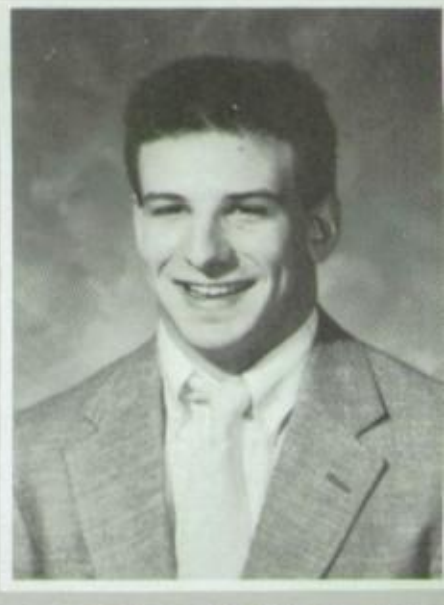
ASHLEY BERRY



ROBERT BOURDENE

ANDREW CAIN

JASON CHALKER

Key To SENIOR HONORS
WWAAHSS — Who's Who Among American High School Students
NJHS — National Junior Honor Society
NHS — National Honor Society
USNDSA — United States National Drama and Speech Award
USFLA — United States Foreign Language Award
United States National Merit Award
USNSCA — United States National Student Council Award
USNLMA — United States National Leadership Merit Award
SDAHSS — Society of Distinguished American High School Students
USMAS — United States Merit Award Society

CHRIS COGGINS — *12 years*
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 2
Track 3
Cross Country 4
Flag Hanger 4
Spanish Club 1, 2, 3
Yearbook 3, 4
FCA 1, 2, 3
Basketball 2nd Team All District 3
All State Tournament 3, 4
1st Team All District 4
TAPS All Star 4
WWAAHSS 2
SDAHSS 2

KEVIN COUCH — *1½ years*
Spanish Club 4
WWAAHSS 4

JEFF CROSS — *3 years*
NHS 3, 4
Spanish Club 2, 3, 4

ASHLEY DeBOARD — *5 years*
Cheerleader 1
Drill Team 2, 3, 4
Lieutenant 3
First Lieutenant 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Track MVP 3, 4
Social Chairman 2
President 3
Student Council President 4
Spanish Club 2, 3
Student Council 2, 3, 4
FCA 2
Senior Play 4
Newspaper 1, 3
Editor 3
WWAAHSS 3, 4
SDAHSS 1, 2, 3, 4
USNMA 3
USNSCA 3, 4
Thespian Society 4
USNDSA 4
NJHS 1, 2
NSH 3, 4

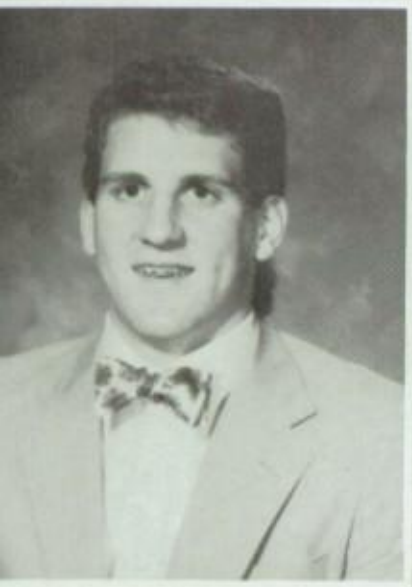
NANCY DICKERT — *3½ years*
Volleyball 2
Softball 3
Tennis 2
Senior Play 4

MICHAEL DOWNS — *7 years*
Football 1, 4
Funniest 4

ANDREW EMBRY — *7 years*
Football 1, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 3
Chaplain 1
Baseline Bums 3, 4
Baseball MVP 4
Jimmy Adair Award 4
All District 1st Team Baseball 2, 4
All District 1st Team Offense 4
All District 2nd Team Defense 3
All State Baseball 3
TAPS Player of the Year 4
Class Favorite 1, 2, 3, 4
Friendliest 4

MICHAEL ENRIQUEZ — *3 years*
Football 2

Jamie Howard acts on behalf of the senior class as he presents Miss Stark with a big hug.



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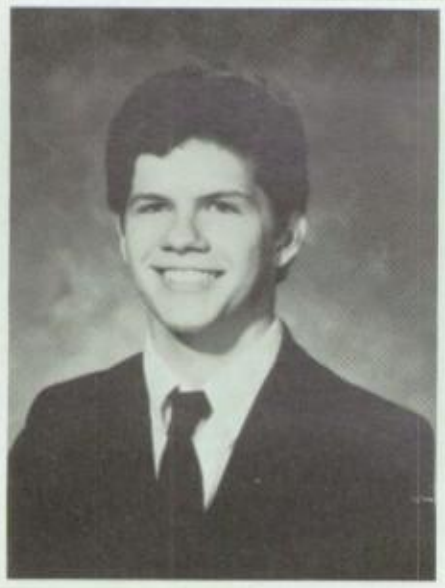

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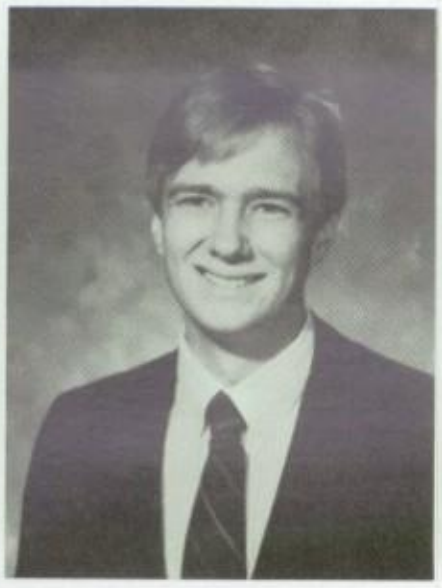

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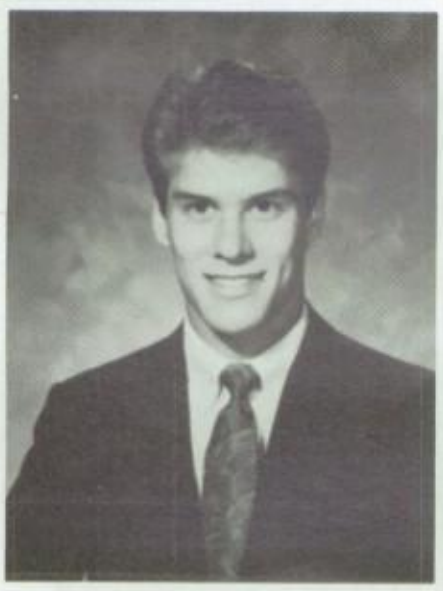
ASHLEY DeBOARD

NANCY DICKERT



MICHAEL DOWNS

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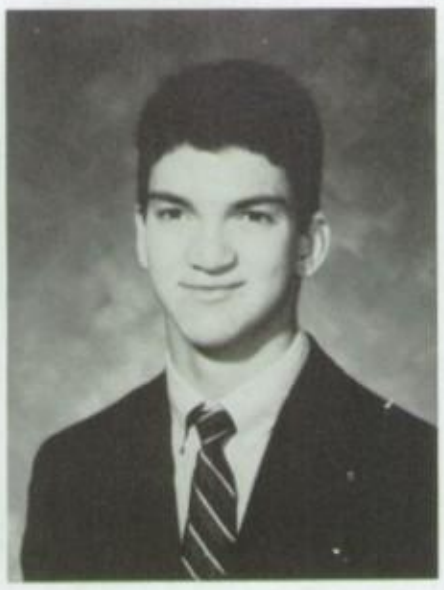
CHARLIE GARCIA



PAUL GARRETT

PATRICK GIBSON

CATHY GODFREY

CAROL GOSNELL

SHERRY GRIMLAND

SHELLY GUNTER

RICHARD HORNBAKER

Senior English is for the birds

The main attraction in English IV this spring wasn't Wordsworth, Shakespeare, or Byron. It wasn't a novel, a play or even an essay. It was a hawk.

According to Robert Bourdene, the hawk first appeared last year. "Gary Don and Roger and I first spotted the hawk in our Bachelor Survival Class," he said.

The hawk did not appear at Mrs. Palmer's window in Room 105 uninvited. The seniors stuck their heads, hats, and other objects out the window to attract the bird's attention. "I didn't believe Robert" said the skeptical Mrs. Vicki Palmer. "So he proceeded to prove it to me."

The hawk, and its mate, began the ritual of dive-bombing any one who opened the window.

"It loved Fred Williams' red hair," Mrs. Palmer remembered. "Every time Fred looked out the window it would swoop down for a look." But Fred wasn't the only victim, "I kept hoping it didn't get me," said Jamie Howard, who hung out the window to catch the hawk on film.

The only senior with scars, however, was Fred, who was scratched on the forehead.

CHARLIE GARCIA — *6 years*
Football 1, 2, 3
Track 1, 3
Spanish Club Officer 4

PAUL GARRETT — *6 years*
Football 4
Spanish Club 2, 3
Science Club 2
Senior Play 4

PATRICK GIBSON — *7 years*
President of NSH 4
NJHS 1
NHS 2, 3, 4
USNMA 1, 2, 3, 4
USNLMA 4
SDAHSS 1, 2, 3, 4
USNDSW 4
Senior Play 4

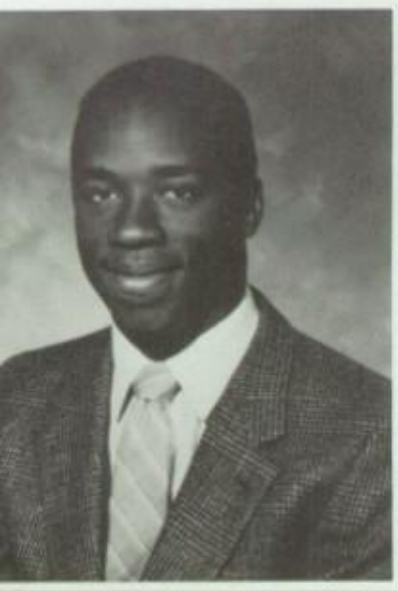
CATHY GODFREY — *12 years*
Volleyball 1
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Track 1
Softball 2, 3, 4
Drill Team 2, 3, 4
Senior Play 4
Spanish Club 2, 3
FCA 1, 2, 3
Class Favorite 1, 2, 3, 4
Friendliest 4
Funniest 4

CAROL GOSNELL — *1 year*

SHERRY GRIMLAND — *13 years*

SHELLY GUNTER — *4 years*
Volleyball 1
Tennis 2
Drill Team 2, 3, 4
FCA 3
Young Life 3
Senior Play 4
USNDSA 4
Thespian Society 4

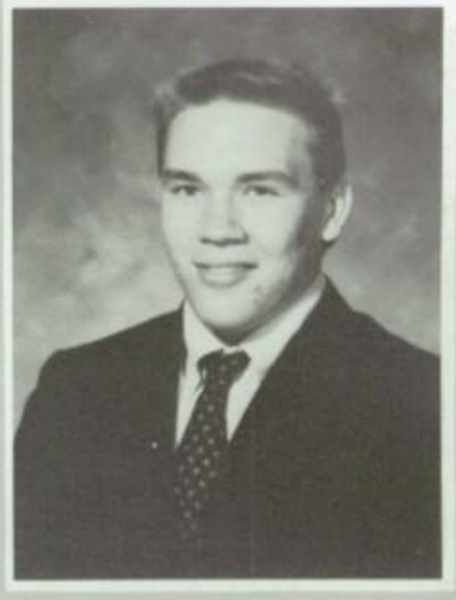
RICHARD HORNBAKER — *2 years*
French Club 4



JAMIE HOWARD

BRIAN HURD

JEIMI JAMES



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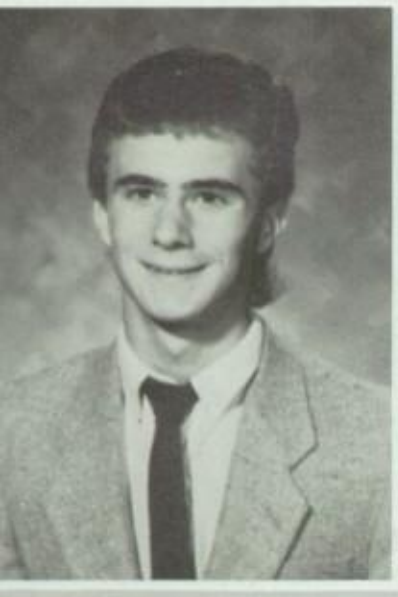

ASON JOHNSTON

ROBIN KAUP

LAUREL KAYSE

GARY KEESTER

elody McKim lets her little light ne at senior chapel.

JAMIE HOWARD — *8 years*
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 3, 4
Vice President of FCA 3, 4
FCA 3, 4
Spanish Club 3
Baseline Bums 4
2nd Team All Conference Defense 2, 3, 4
2nd Team All Conference Offense 3, 4
All State Honorable Mention Offense and Defense 4

BRIAN HURD — *4 years*
Baseball 3, 4
Flag Hanger 4
Spanish Club 3
Most Spirited 4
FCA 3
Senior Play 4
Baseline Bums 3, 4

JEIMI JAMES — *4 years*
Track 3
Secretary, Spanish Club 4
Senior Play 4
Spanish Club 3, 4

ROBBY JOHNSON — *13 years*
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1
Golf 4
Spanish Club 2, 3
All District Football 3, 4

JASON JOHNSTON — *3 years*
Spanish Club 2, 3, 4

ROBIN KAUP — *3 years*
Drill Team 3
Spanish Club Vice President 4
Spanish Club 2, 3, 4
Senior Play 4
Homecoming Queen Nominee 4

LAUREL KAYSE — *13 years*
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Drum Major 4
Secretary-Treasurer of Band 2, 3, 4
Librarian of Band 2, 3, 4
Tennis Manager 2
Spanish Club 3, 4
Thespian Society 3, 4
Newspaper 3, 4
SDAHSS 4
USDSA 4
Senior Play 4
Band Award 2

GARY KEESTER — *2 years*
Football 3, 4
Baseball 4
FCA 3, 4
Baseline Bums 3, 4
Fighting Heart Award 3
All District 2nd Team Defense 3
All District 2nd Team Offense 3

Senior guys look toward the future.

Fred Williams jams at the Senior Play party at Thunderbumpers.

Robert (Jake) Green rests in the arms of Jamie Howard.

DEANA KINAMON — *5 years*
Drill Team 1, 2, 3, 4
Lieutenant 2, 3
Captain 4
Secretary of NJHS 1
Vice President of Spanish Club 4
Spanish Club 2, 3, 4
NHS 2, 3, 4
NJHS 1
National Superstar Drill Team 2, 3, 4
Homecoming Nominee 4
WWAAHSS 3
Academic All American 2, 3, 4
United States Mathematics Award 2, 4
USNDSA 4
USFLA 4
Senior Play 4
Thespian Society 4
Most Talented 4
Valedictorian 4

AMY KIRKPATRICK —
Drill Team 2, 3
Vice President 4
Spanish Club 2
Homecoming Court 2
Homecoming Queen Nominee 4

LAURI KOVAN — *6 years*
JV Basketball 1
Softball 2
Drill Team 2, 3
Spanish Club Treasurer 4
Spanish Club 2, 3, 4
Senior Play 4
NJHS 1
NHS 3, 4

GARY DON LAMBERT — *13 years*
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Flag Hanger 4

ROBERT LANIER — *2 years*
Football 3
Baseline Bums 4
FCA 3, 4
Powerlifting 3
Senior Class President 4

KIMBERLY LEON — *1 year*
Senior Play 4

MELISSA LEONARD — *7 years*
Softball 1, 2, 3, 4
Softball All District 4
Softball State Championship 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
District Co-Champs 4
Drill Team 1, 2, 3, 4
Lieutenant 3
Senior Play 4
Spanish Club 1, 2
FCA 1, 2, 3

ALLISON LOEB — *7 years*
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Drill Team 1, 2, 3, 4
Lieutenant 3, 4
Secretary 1
Vice President 3
Spanish Club 2, 3, 4
Spanish Club President 4
Student Council 1, 3
NHS 3, 4
NJHS 1, 2
WWAAHSS 3
USNMA 4
Senior Play 4
USNFCA 3
USNDSA 4
USNLMA 4
Spiritual Leadership Award 3
Thespian Society 4

DEANA KINAMON

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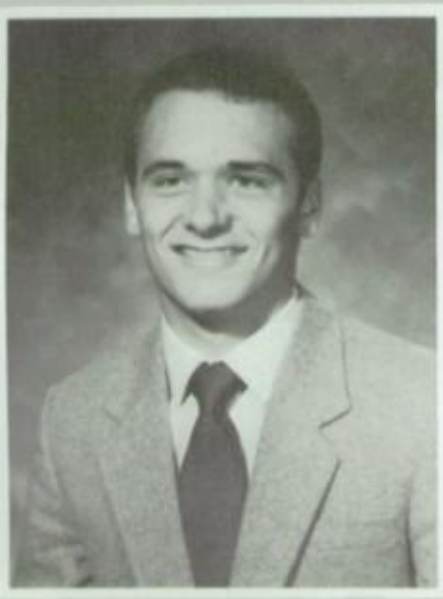


ROBERT LANIER

KIMBERLY LEON

MELISSA LEONARD

ALLISON LOEB

Ahhh! The Lunch Bunch

"It's my favorite part of the day!"
"This is the best thing that's happened to our class this year."
"I can't wait to get to 'yuppie heaven' "

Seniors have an appetite for their favorite privilege — off-campus lunch!

They have tried many of the downtown lunch spots. Chosen because they are the quickest to get to and out of their two favorite seem to be Burger King on Ervay and Highland Park Cafeteria, often referred to as "Yuppie Heaven" or just HPC, in the Lincoln Building.

At seniors' request Dr. Estes granted them permission to have off-campus lunch. A privilege which was to be immediately revoked for all seniors if ANY senior arrived late to his next class.

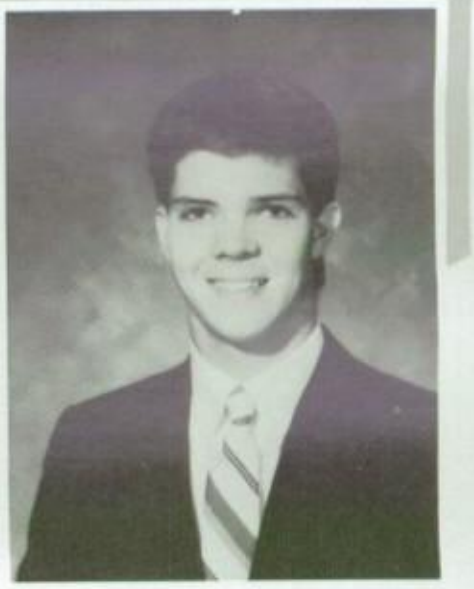
Amazingly, the seniors retained their privilege all year.

KATIE MAYBORN — *2 years*
Track 3, 4
LANCE MAYES — *3 years*
Band 2, 3, 4
Drum Major 4
Science Club 2
Spanish Club 3, 4
NHS 2, 3, 4
MERRITT MORRISON — *½ year*
Spanish Club 3, 4
JAMIE PETERSON — *4 years*
NJHS 1
Senior Play 4
DEBBIE POE — *4 years*
Tennis 1
Choir 3
Spanish Club 2, 3, 4
SDAHSS 3
USMAS 3
KEVIN MILLS — *4 years*
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 3, 4
All District Honorable Mention Football 3, 4
Fighting Heart Award 3
Most Valuable Player and All State Baseball 4
GRAHAM MONROE — *13 years*
HEATHER PRETLOVE — *4 years*
Volleyball 2
Spanish Club 1, 2, 3
Chaplain 3
Newspaper 3, 4
Editor 4
Thespian Society 3, 4
Choir 1
NJHS 1, 2
NHS 3, 4

KATIE MAYBORN

LANCE MAYES

MERRITT MORRISON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GRAHAM MONROE

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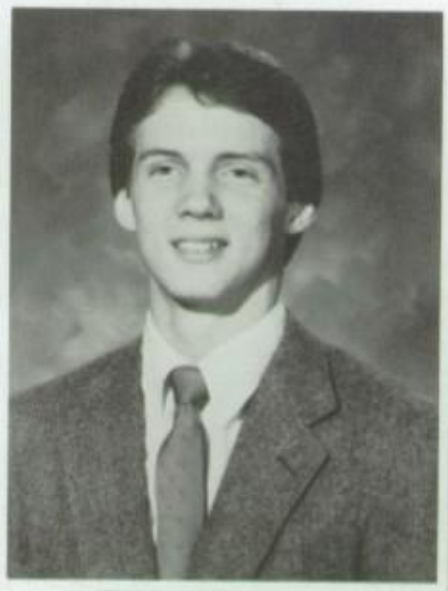
HEATHER PRETLOVE

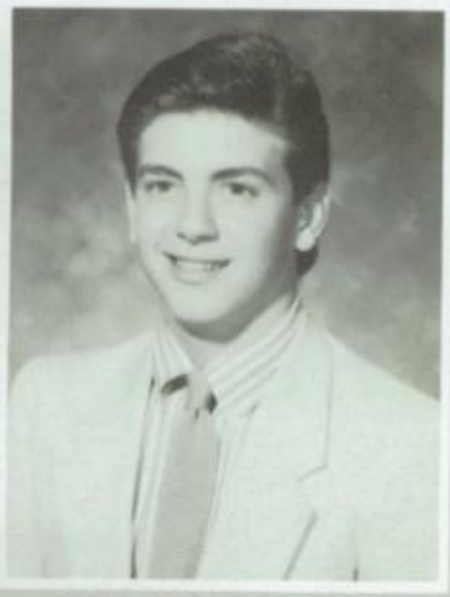
JONI RAKESTRAW

SHELLY REED



HEATH RICE

SHARON RIFFE



RANDY ROGERS

STACI RUNNELS

JONATHAN SAWYER

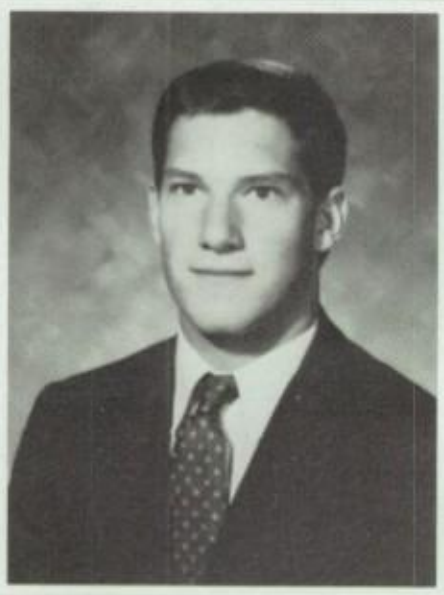
LAURA SHANKS

JONI RAKESTRAW — *2 years*
Spanish Club 4
SHELLY REED — *3 years*
Spanish Club 1; FCA 2
HEATH RICE — *6 years*
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4
TAPS MVP 4
TAPS Basketball State Champs 2, 3, 4
NJHS Vice President 1
Spanish Club 1, 2, 4
Science Club 4
NJHS 1; NHS 3, 4
Mr. FBA 4
Most Likely to Succeed 4
WWAAHSS 3, 4
SDAHSS 1, 2, 3, 4
USNMA 1, 2, 3, 4
TUISS 4
SHARON RIFFE — *12 years*
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Drill Team 2, 3
Cheerleader 4
Senior Play 4
Spanish Club 2, 3
FCA 2, 3; Yearbook 3, 4
Homecoming Queen 4
WWAAHSS 4
RANDY ROGERS — *7 years*
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Band 1, 2
Flag Hanger 4
Spanish Club 3, 4
FCA 1, 2, 4
Senior Play 4
John Phillip Sousa Award 2
Honor Band 2
Director's Award for Band 2
STACI RUNNELS — *3 years*
Basketball 2, 3, 4
2nd Team All District Basketball 3
1st Team All District Basketball 4
All Star Basketball Team 4
MVP Basketball 4
Volleyball 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3, 4
All State Softball 2, 3, 4
MVP Softball 3, 4
District MVP Softball 4
1st Team All District Softball 4
Bishop Lynch All Tournament Team
Pitcher 4
Choir 3, 4; FCA 3
JONATHAN SAWYER — *3 years*
Football 3, 4
FCA 3, 4
Spanish Club 3, 4
Baseline Bums 3, 4
LAURA SHANKS — *11 years*
Track 1
Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4
Head Cheerleader 4
NJHS 1; NHS 2, 3, 4
Spanish Club 1, 2, 4
FCA 1, 3
Miss FBA 4
Most Likely to Succeed 4
Senior Play 4
WWAAHSS 3, 4
SDAHSS 1, 2, 3, 4
USNMA 1, 2, 3, 4
Bible Award 1
Foreign Language Award 1
Salutatorian 4

Senior Class President Robert Lanier addresses the student body at senior chapel.

Cooling off after senior pictures Robert Lanier, Charlie Garcia, Jon Sawyer, and Gary Don Lambert join arms as they take a dip in the fountain at Fair Park.

LORI SMITH



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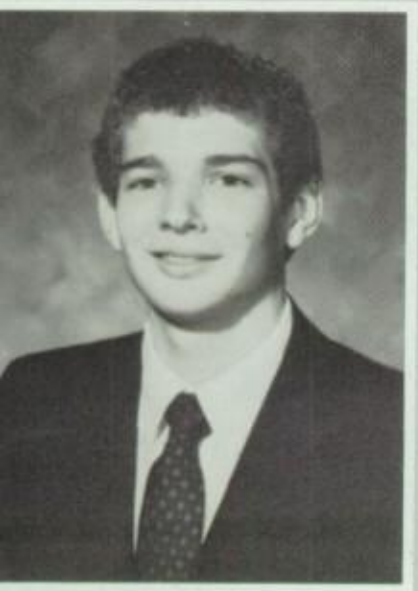

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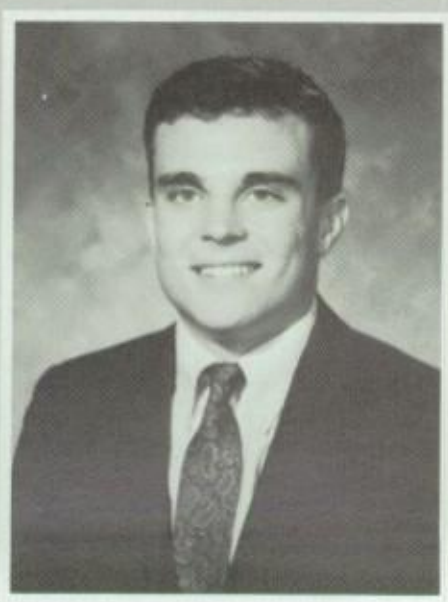
FRED WILLIAMS



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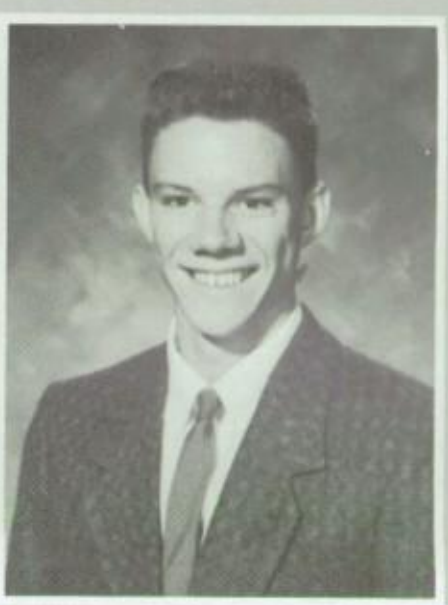


ROGER WISE

LORI SMITH — *5½ years*
Drill Team 3, 4
Lieutenant 4
Softball 3
Student Council 4
Secretary-Treasurer 4
FCA 4
Spanish Club 2, 3
Newspaper 3
Senior Play 4
WWAAHSS 3, 4
SDAHSS 3, 4

TONY STAVELY — *3 years*
Football 2, 3, 4
Senior Play 4
Art Award 4

PEGGY STERLING — *4 years*
Drill Team 2, 3, 4
Student Council Secretary 4
Yearbook 2, 3, 4
Editor 4
Science and Math Club 4
Spanish Club 2, 3
Newspaper 4
SDAHSS 2, 3, 4
USNJA 4
USNMA 2, 3
Quill and Scroll 4
Thespian Society 4
Award of Excellence in Yearbook 4
NHS 3, 4
NJHS 1, 2
Senior Play 4
Academic All American 2, 3, 4

DANIEL WALKER — *3 years*
Football 2, 3, 4
Baseline Bums 3, 4
Vice President of Spanish Club 3
Spanish Club 3
FCA 3, 4
2nd Team All Conference Defensive Line 2, 3, 4
2nd Team All Conference Offensive Line 2, 3
1st Team All Conference Offensive Line 4
Most Valuable Offensive Lineman 4
Senior Play 4

WILL WHITE — *8 years*
Golf 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Spanish Club 3, 4
Computer Club 4
Senior Play 4

FRED WILLIAMS — *9 years*
Track 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Headhunter Award 3, 4
1st Team All District 3, 4
Honorable Mention All State 3, 4
Fighting Heart Award 2
Baseline Bums 4
FCA 2, 3, 4
Football Captain 4
Spanish Club 2
NJHS 1
History Award 1
Senior Play 4

PAUL WILSON — *13 years*
Football 1
Golf 2, 3, 4
FCA 1, 2, 3, 4
FCA Secretary 3, 4
Spanish Club 2, 3
Golf MVP 4
Senior Play 4

ROGER WISE — *13 years*
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Football Captain 4
Track 1, 2
Golf 4
Quill and Scroll 4
SDAHSS 4
USNLMA 4

Cathy Godfrey is reluctant to leave her senior year.

Kelli Allen just loves to attend chapel services.

With a keen sense of direction, Cathy Godfrey and Michael Downs smile for the camera.

Half dead from lack of sleep, Seniors Jason Chalker and Kevin Mills prepare for another day of skiing at Steamboat, Colorado.

Jamie Howard and Staci Runnels — Their future's so bright they've got to wear shades.

Gary Keester puts the "Whammy" on one of the Saints' opponents.

Driven by Senior Class President Robert Lanier, Homecoming Queen Sharon Riffe takes her ride around the football field.

Senior cheerleaders Sharon Riffe, Laura Shanks, and Kelli Allen check out the gorgeous guy in the stands.

With her western accent, Ashley DeBoard portrays Mary Magdelene.

TRYING TO PICK THE PERFECT SONG TO JITTERBUG TO, Melissa Leonard enjoys the post-production "Bye Bye Birdie" cast party at Thunderbumpers.

IMITATING THE FOOTBALL GUYS, the Senior girls huddle after performing a routine to "Shout, Breakout" at the last football pep rally.

LISTEN AND YE SHALL HEAR Robert Lanier tries to witness to those wild Senior guys in a Senior Chapel skit.

REBELLION STRIKES AGAIN Shelly Gunter shows off the uniform skirt she worked so hard to destroy.

YEAR

TO REMEMBER

How do you sum up a school year? For the class of '87 some of the things on the list include: the destruction of the uniform, dress up days, couples, Fair Park, THE senior priviledge, "Dean" Hines, HPC, Burger King and Mrs. Fields's.

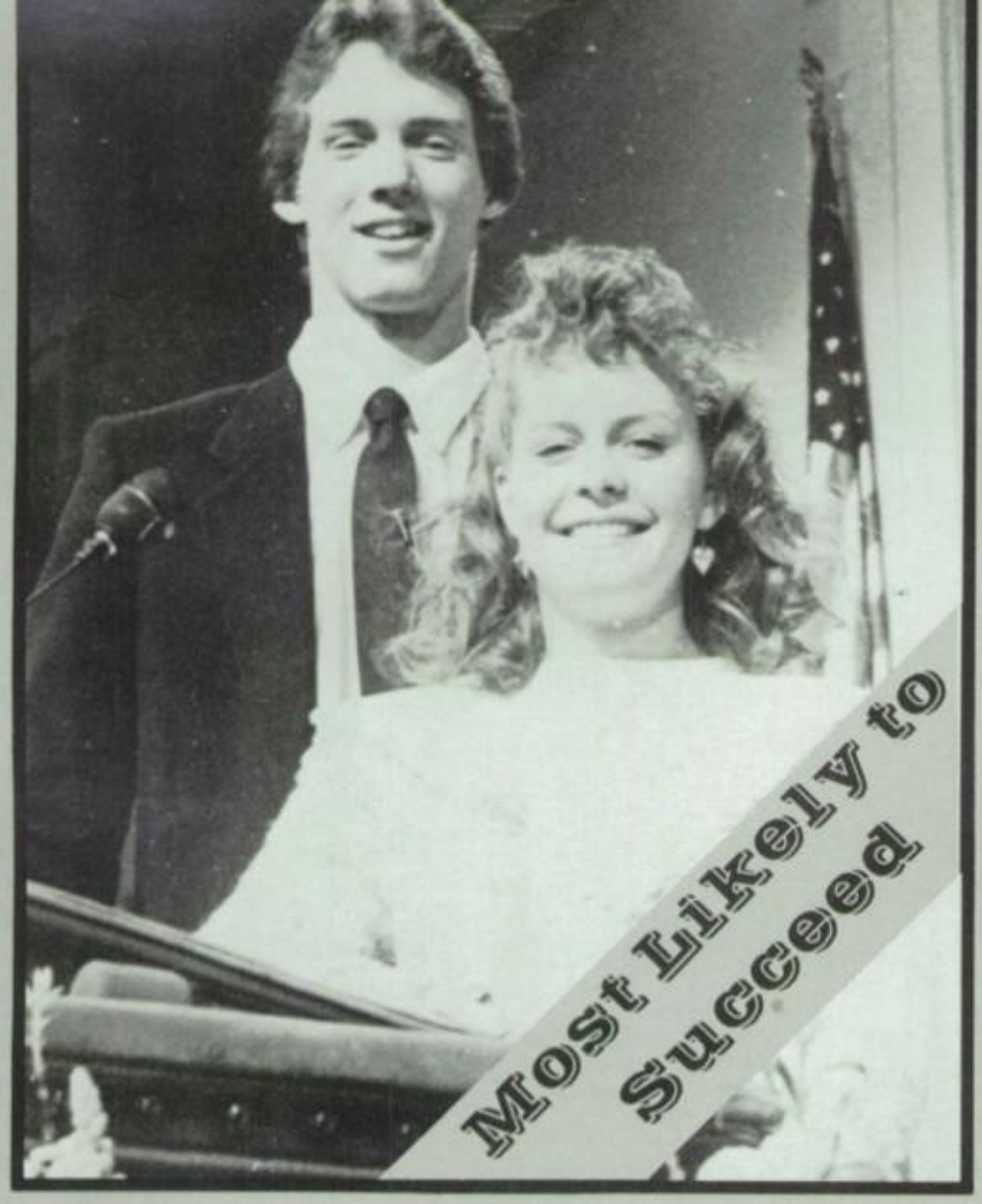
Memories of classes themselves include Mrs. Palmer's Municipal Zoo, journal junkies, the senior' day in court, *The Ugly American,* the documentary film, making mums and pep rallies.

In the news were stories about Ponygate, Iranscam, Annette Strauss — first woman mayor, the AIDS pandemic, and 37 soldiers killed by an Iraqi missile.

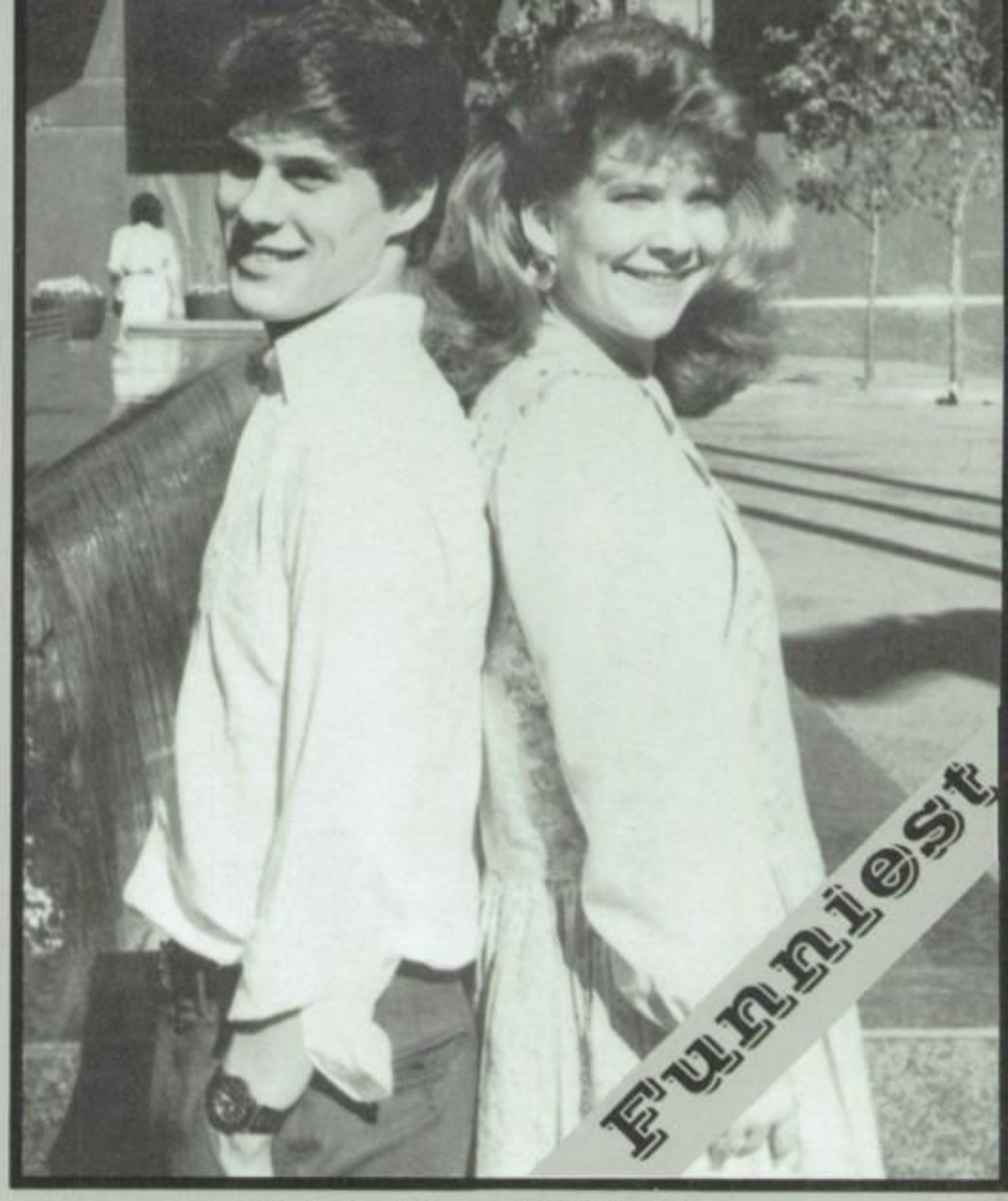
After hours seniors recall, *Platoon,* the *Top Gun* video, football games, "The Beastie Boys" "Bon Jovi," The Trinity game, Homecoming, pulling off *Bye, Bye Birdie,* Don Brown, Waco, Thuderbumpers, "muddin'" The Hard Rock Cafe, Macy's Thankgiving parade, shopping for UNITS, the Spring Fling III and Steamboat, Colorado.

LETTING LOOSE, Laurel Kayse, Heather Pretlove, Peggy Sterling and Allison Leob show some leg for the camera.

STUDYING FOR THEIR LAST FINAL EXAMS, Melissa Leonard, Ashley DeBoard, Randy Rogers and Michael Downs learn the material with the help of Ashley Berry.



Laura Shanks and Heath Rice



Cathy Godfrey and Michael Downs

Eleven seniors chosen as class

SUPER LATIVES

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

A six year veteran of the Academy, **Heath Rice** plans to major in Computer Science at Texas A&M. Heath led the basketball team his senior year as both captain and MVP. He also completed his senior year as number three in his class. According to his classmate, Jason Chalker, "He's going to succeed in just about anything he wants to because he's very intelligent."

Salutatorian of her class, **Laura Shanks** plans to be a kindergarten teacher. She has been at F.B.A. for eleven years; five of those years she has spent as a cheerleader. "She works hard and continuously at whatever she does," said senior Laurel Kayse. "She has also succeeded in being a good and understanding friend."

MOSTSPIRITED

During his four years at First Baptist, **Brian Hurd** has managed to make his crazy cheering antics a necessary part of any sporting event. As a flaghanger, Brian has only been part of "organized cheering for one year, but he has encheering for one year, but he has encouraged many athletes as a baseline bum in all of his high school years.

Kelli Allen's peppy smile and enthusiasm have been urging crowds to get up and cheer for each of her past six years as a cheerleader. With her astonishing flexibility and optimistic spirit, Kelli easily makes others want to get fired up.

FUNNIEST

Her antics in the senior play could easily have earned **Cathy Godfrey** the title of Funniest. However, some of her classmates remember the church ski trip when Cathy forgot to get off the lift as her most hysterical moment. Cathy has brought her own brand of humor into her efforts in the classroom, on the basketball team and with the drill team.

Michael Downs can be counted on to lighten the mood both in and out of the classroom. Game for any prank, Michael's quick wit can usually get him out of trouble almost as easily as he got into trouble.

MOST ATHLETIC

Even as a freshman, **Jamie Howard's** ability was obvious as an outstanding football player. Weathering back and shoulder injuries, Jamie still managed to make a difference on the football, track and baseball fields. "Jamie works hard at his sport and loves to compete," said Coach Woody Martin. "He would press on even when he didn't feel physically up to it."

An all-around athlete, **Staci Runnels** has won awards in volleyball, basketball and softball. Even playing with weak knees, Staci has earned many honors in her two and a half years at F.B.A. Staci has also run track for the Saints. Her pitching ability allowed the softball team to capture the title of state champions.

MOST TALENTED

Landing the lead in the senior play, earning a spot on the SuperStar Drill Team, dancing for Mary Kay conventions and maintaining the highest academic average in her class, it is easy to see that **Deana Kinamon** earned the distinction of Most Talented. After making an appearance in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, Deana, who is headed for TCU in the fall, set new goals of dancing at Disney World and studying West Coast Jazz at Dupree in Los Angeles.

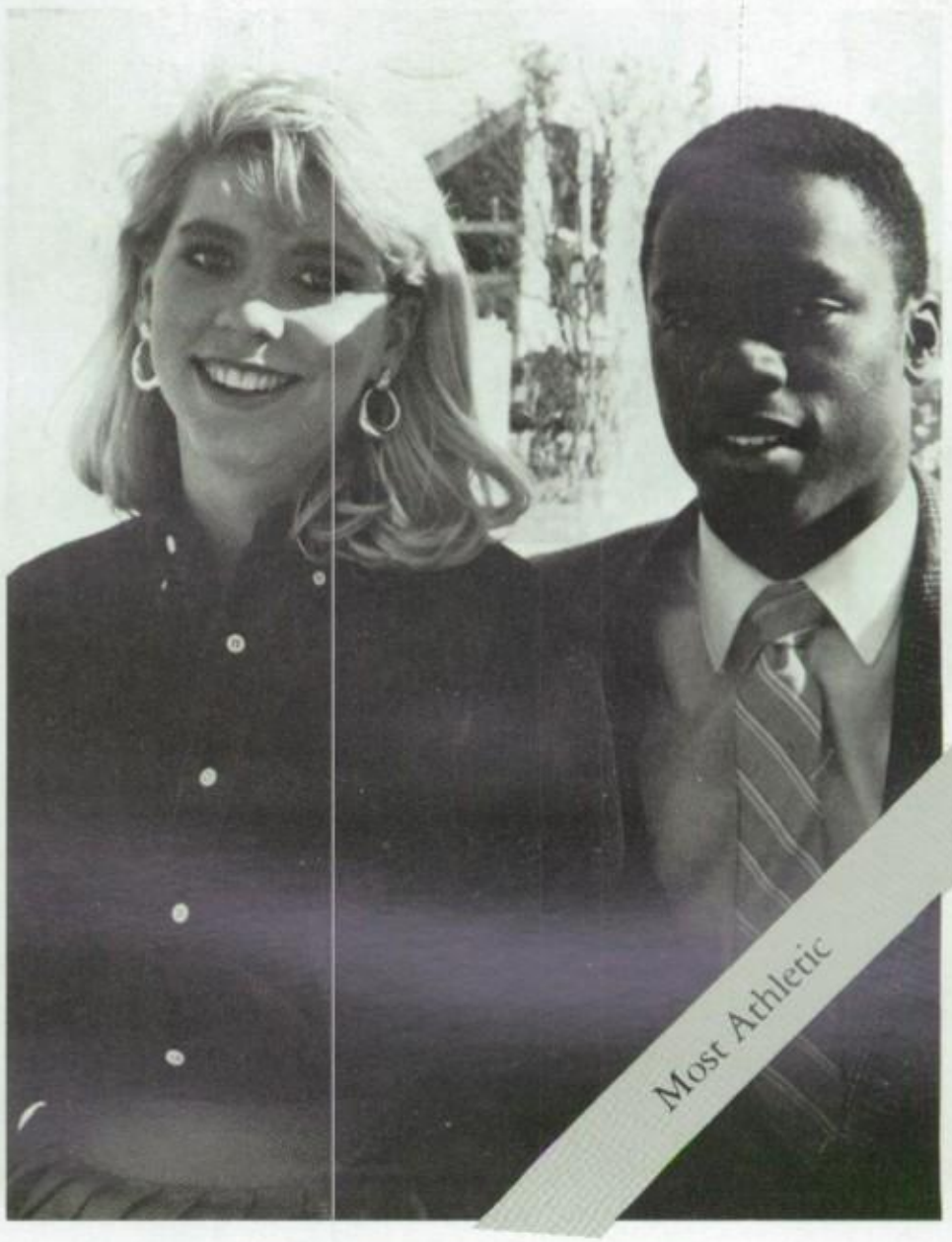
Jason Chalker has attended F.B.A. for six years. In addition to being an expert defensive lineman, Jason is a skilled artist. His drawings have been used on posters, shirts, ads and even for the cover of the sports program. President of F.C.A. for two years, Jason also earned the part of Albert Peterson, the male lead in *Bye, Bye Birdie*.

FRIENDLIEST

Her loud laugh and contagious smile have made **Cathy Godfrey** a favorite with everyone. In her 12 years at F.B.A., Cathy has made a name for herself as everyone's best friend. "She's the best friend anyone could ask for," confirms senior Melissa Leonard.

His honesty and his care for others are the qualities that his classmates feel describe **Andrew Embry.** Andrew has been a member of both the football and baseball teams and played Conrad Birdie in the senior play. His fellow seniors appreciate his optimistic spirit. "He's always trying to lift me up, get me in a good mood when I'm down," related Kevin Mills.

Kelli Allen and Brian Hurd



Staci Runnels and Jamie Howard

Cathy Godfrey and Andrew Embry

Midnight madness and Money Matters never a dull junior moment.

Lending a listening ear, Craven Coates works as an office aid.

Red-eyed juniors stumbled into Room 106 on Dec. 19, looking dishevelled and disgruntled. The moment had come to present their final copies of the research papers to Miss Fary.

The morning had followed a long evening and longer night for many English III students, consuming large amounts of caffeine, many juniors invented unusual eating habits — from heating Coke ("I was just too cold to drink it the regular way" said Kim Wilson) to eating cold egg rolls at 2 a.m.

Emile Sevadjian claims that at 2:30 a.m. he started seeing things moving in his room.

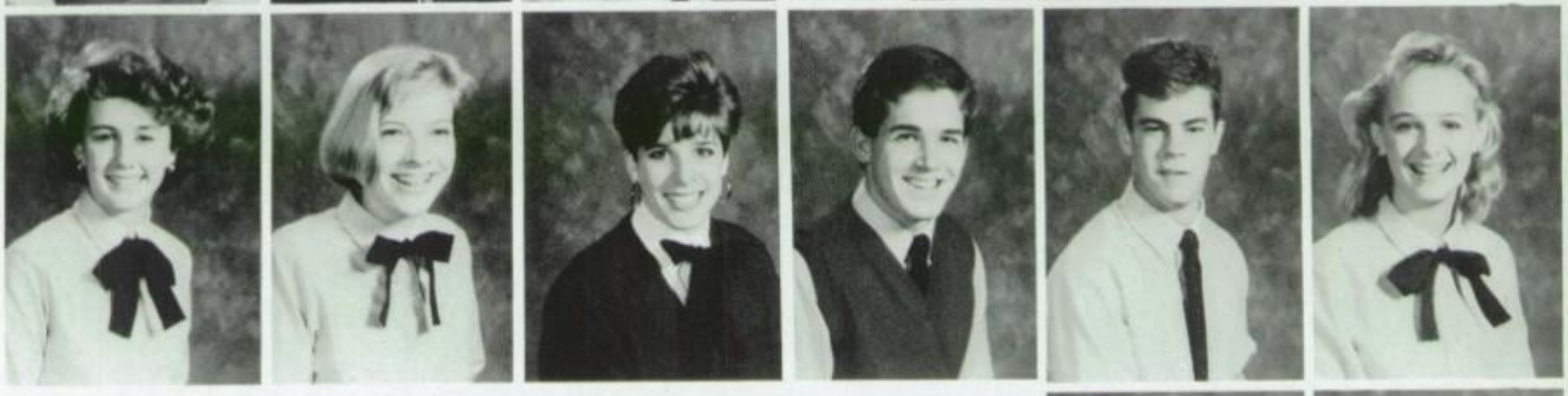
As with every junior class, the Class of '88 concerned themselves with money matters for that all-important event — The Junior/Senior Banquet. Juniors began early with bow sales at football games, poinsettia sales and pictures with Santa. Other successful fundraisers were the Western Day Luncheon and the Sanger Harris Inventory.

A group that thrives on fellowship, the Junior class stuck together for many activities after school hours. These students typically gathered for "study" sessions, Sunday afternoon football games and dinner "out on the town." Special events included a scavenger hunt, 2 a.m. bowling and weekend video projects.

The class of '88 enjoyed a year filled with memories, most of which remind its members of the closeness they share.

Jeannie Allen
Mandi Baldrigde
Dixie Barnett
Bob Beazley
Elizabeth Bell
Stephen Black

Jodilynn Brittain
Rachel Brittain
Annagrey Brown
Geof Brown
Matt Bryant
Becky Burnett

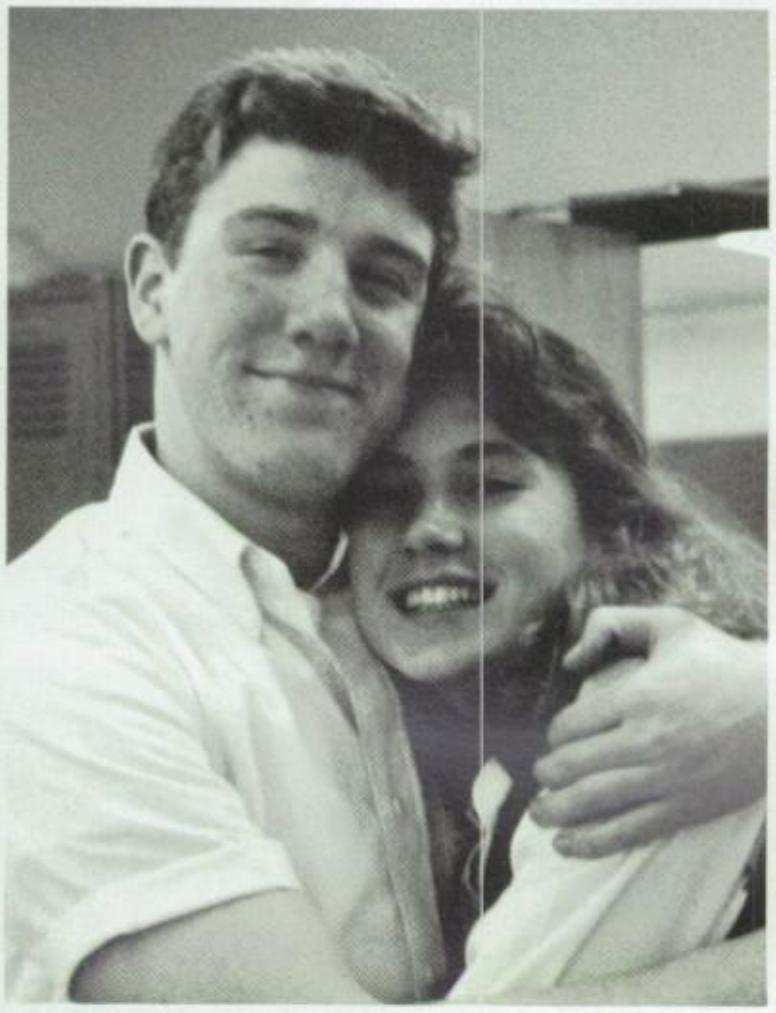


Roland Castillo
Jackie Chamblee

Dollie Clark
Craven Coates

Juniors Scott Thompson, Jodilynn Brittain, Kim Wilson, Charles Pokladnik, Greg Higgins, Keith Youngblood, Meredith Foster, Steve Black, Mike Marion, Todd Young, Leigh Ann Wise, and Ison Petty Huddles around a tired Miss Fary after waking her up from a deep sleep.

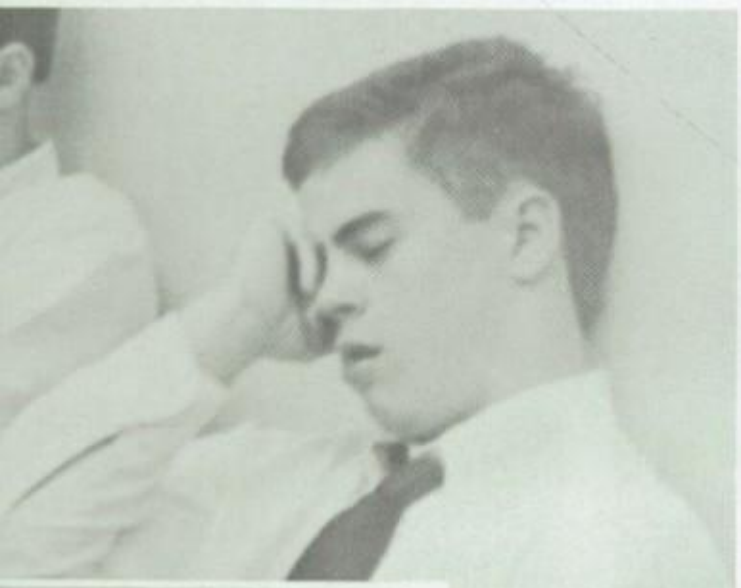
Liza Roeser and Jason Petty exemplify just how close the Junior class really is.



Misti Cutsinger
Katherine Davis
Doyle England

Casey Fanning
Misty Farr
Meredith Foster

Christina Gray
Mary Green
Karla Hale



Matt Bryant takes a light after lunch snooze in Chemistry class.

Lynn Powell shows the judges that she is Drill Team material.

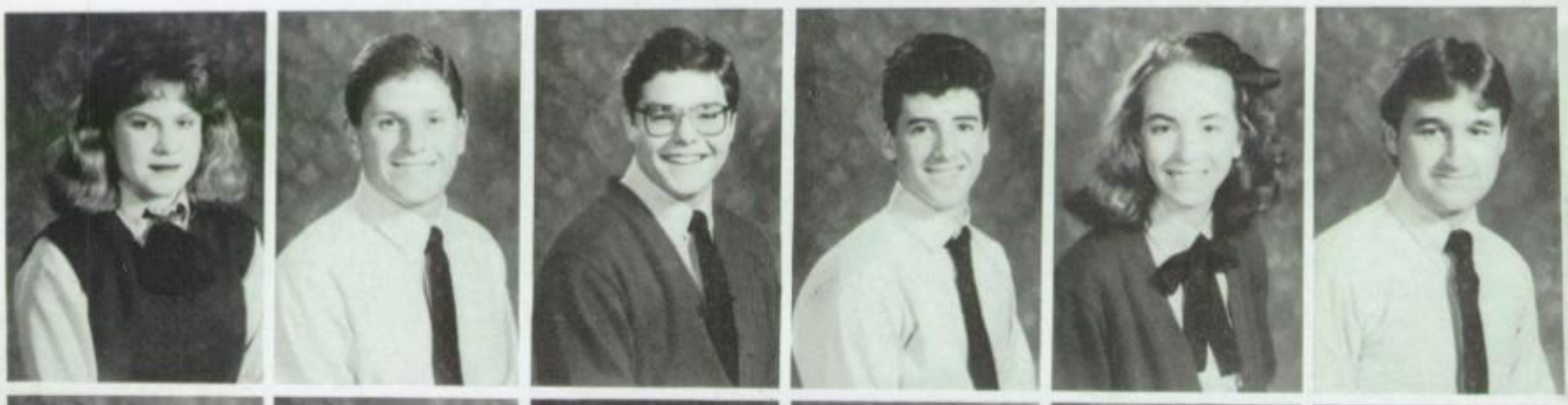
Cleacia Hallowell
Holly Hankins
Holly Hayes

Gina Healey
Greg Higgins
Cara Howe

Todd Kriechbaum
Eric Leatherwood
Rhonda Lester

Class Officers: Matt Bryant, Liza Roeser, and Wendi Shaw.
Keith Youngblood studies real hard in study hall.
(below) Greg Higgins works to finish an English assignment.

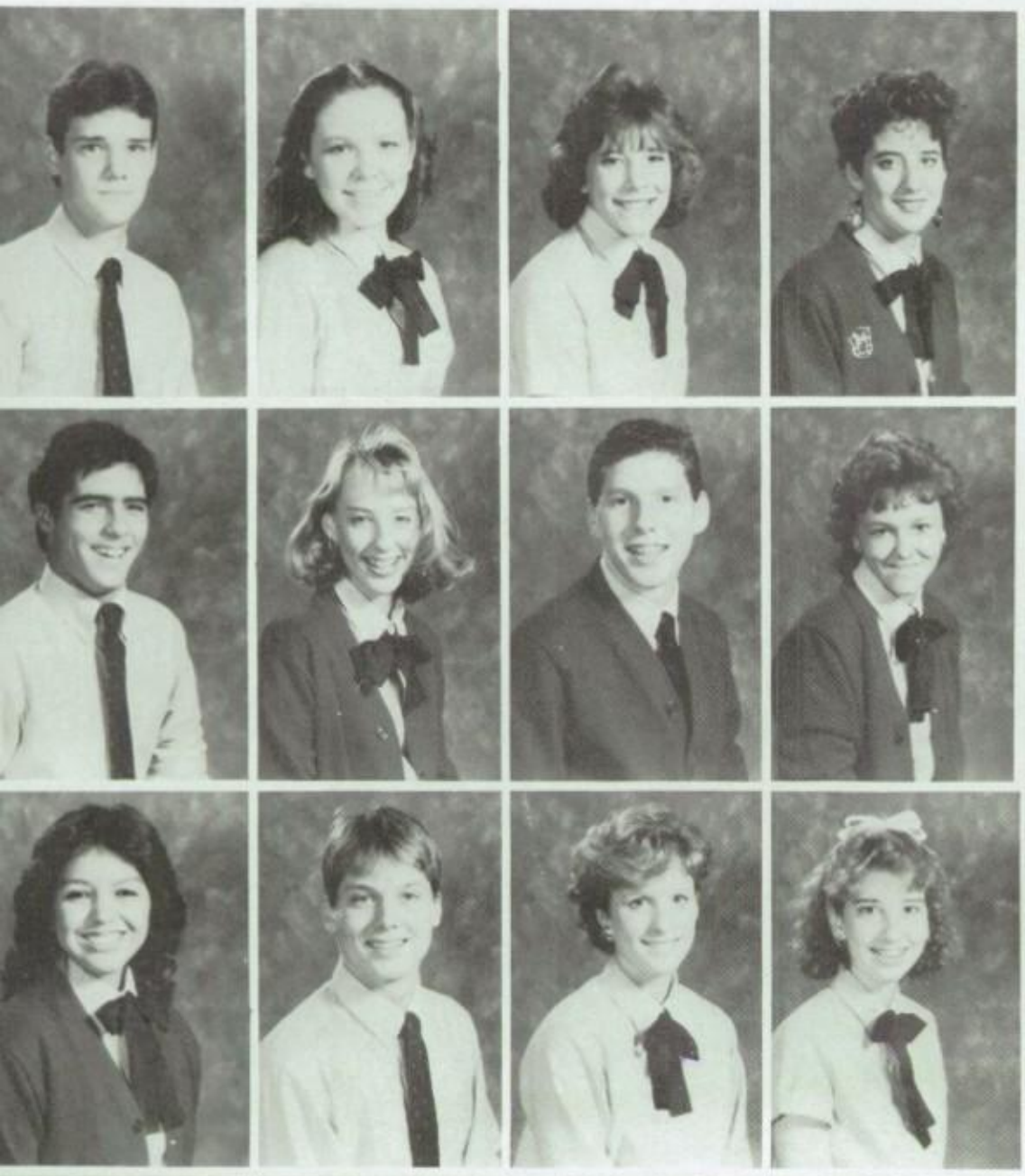
Shelly Maines
Mike Marion
John Matlock
Curtis Mayborn
Sonya Merrill
Eric Miller



Ramon Monsivaiz
Carmen Patterson
Jocelyn Patton
Julie Payne
Jason Petty
Charles Pokladnik

Mokie Rasberry
Greg Reich

Mary Laura Reynolds
Liza Roeser



Jeff Rogers
Jena Scearce
Maria Schaefer
Sophie Schragin

Emile Sevadjian
Wendi Shaw
Doug Shepherd
Bethanie Simms

Sandy Suniga
Scott Thompson
Krista
Melanie Wells
Tim White
Deanna Wickham

Kim Wilson
Leigh Ann Wise
Shannon Wofford
Greg Yates
Todd Young
Keith Youngblood
Not Pictured: Dawn O'Connor, Lynn Powell

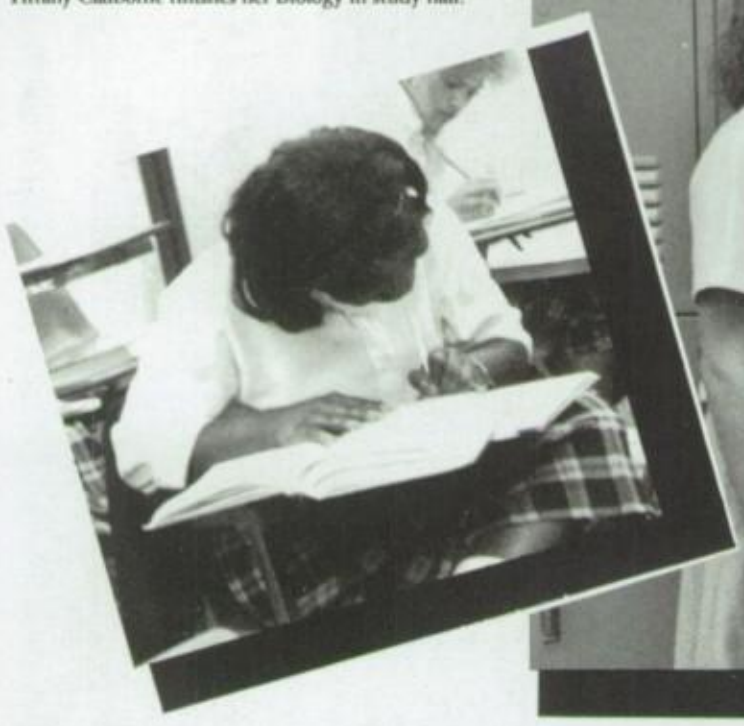
Juniors Charles Pokladnik, Ramon Monsivaiz, Carmen Patterson, Kim Wilson, Julie Payne, and Liza Roeser huddle together on a cold day in Waco.

Mandi Baldridge, Liza Roeser, Wendi Shaw, and Becky Burnett listen to the tunes of Simon and Garfunkel on Western Day.

(TOP) Caught in the act, Junior Scott Thompson proves that yes indeed he does have gum.

Sophomore Class Officers for 1986-87 include (from left): Secretary/Treasurer Kelly Holder, President Thomas Thompson, Vice-President Sonya McGill.

Tiffany Claiborne finishes her Biology in study hall.



Stephanie Adair
Stefanie Andrews
David Barringer
Wendy Bearden
Cathy Blackshear
Jennifer Blanton

Angela Cade
Larry Callahar
Christie Cheshire
Tiffany Claiborne
Ruth Ann Cooper
Wendi Cox

Miata Cunningham
Bo Danielson
James Dean

Ray Deaton
Donna Douthitt
Brooke Dunn

Andy Gosnell caresses a lifelike butterfly in the musical "Bright New Wings"

Sophomore men congregate in between classes in the *sophomore lounge?*

Melanie Edwards
Kristen Estes

Leslie Farley
Anissa Garcia

Andy Gosnell
Rachelle Hast
Tamera Hearon
Kathryn Hogan
Kelly Holder
Katie Hudson

Mark Johnson
Asa Kadane
Michelle Kennedy
Kelli Kile
Andy Kovan
Lydia Lanoue

Sophomores — a force to be reckoned with.

Billy Lambert
Steven Lott
Mary Lyons

Breaking out of the freshman mold, sophomores are well into the realm of life as upperclassmen. They launched a three-year fund raising effort with Valograms in preparation for Junior-Senior Banquet and Senior Trip.

Sophomores had high involvement in athletics, boasting several starters on varsity as well as dominating JV boys' basketball.

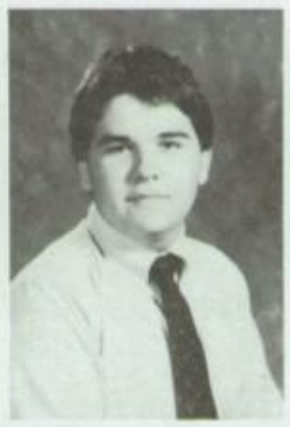
After many miserable early mornings spent in Drivers Ed., most sophomores made a bid for independence by obtaining licenses. They hit the streets of the metroplex and said goodbye to double dating with their parents.

Jenny Marion
Samantha Marshall
Bill Masterson

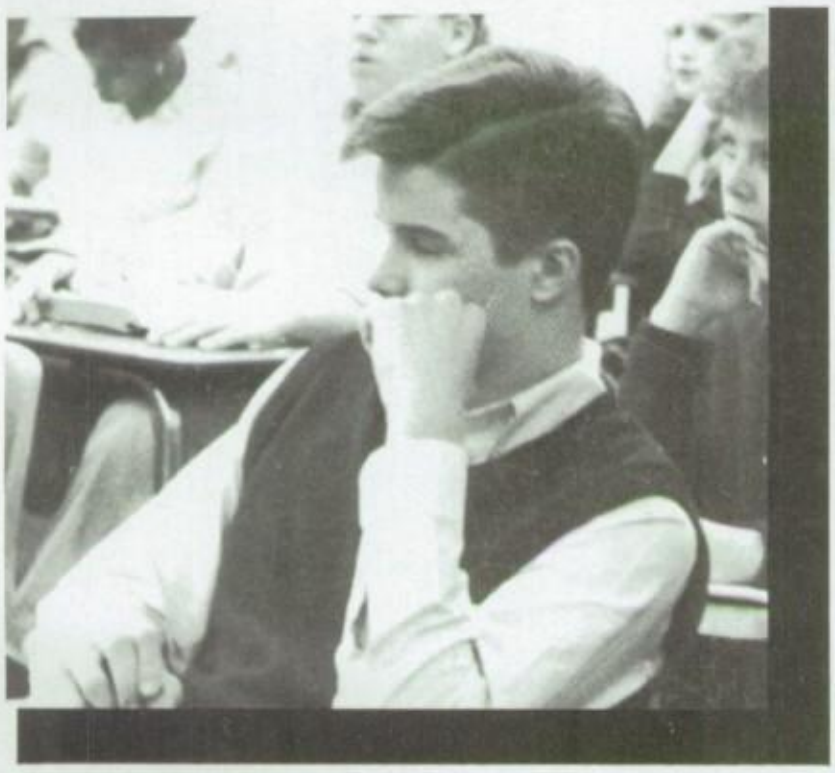
and Warren Sibley utilize study time to its fullest potential.

Thomas Thompson and Donna Douthitt cram for a Biology test.

Catching up on sleep seems like a good idea to Andy Gosnell.

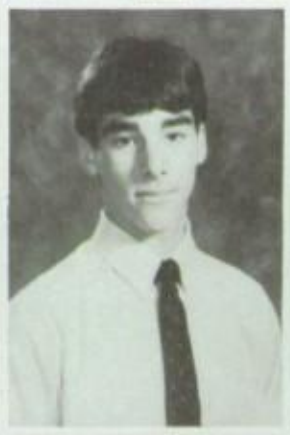


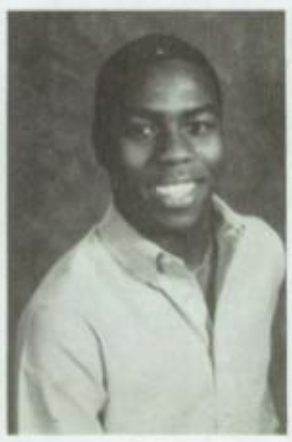
Tiffany Mayes
Sonja McGill
Missy McKinley
Chris Messick
Andy Metheny
Keith Monsivaiz



Stacey Moore
Todd Newsome
Nicki Norman

Debbie Pokladnik
Clayton Prachyl
Lori Rakestraw





Regina Raspberry
Camille Reaves
Fabian Ryans
Lisa Sammons
Jeff Scarbrough
Linda Schrato

Ashley Scott
Jennifer Seabolt
Phillip Sexton

Warren Sibley
Tamie Smith
Matthew Thompson

Thomas Thompson
John Torres
Dana Vandivort

Greg Wagnon
Scott Warren
Gretchen Weaver
Charis White
Amy Womack
Amy Wood

Matthew Thompson sinks one in a midst 3 F.W. Christian Defenders
Charis White does her *Pudd'nhead Wilson* imitation

Cathy Blackshear sits in boredom in another year of Drill Team tryouts

There's nothing like a great pair of legs, Jennifer Lewis daydreams about her favorite tennis player.

Amber Anspacher
Christi Ashwill

Staring into space, Jeff Baker concentrates on a tough assignment.

Jeff Baker
Jamie Berry

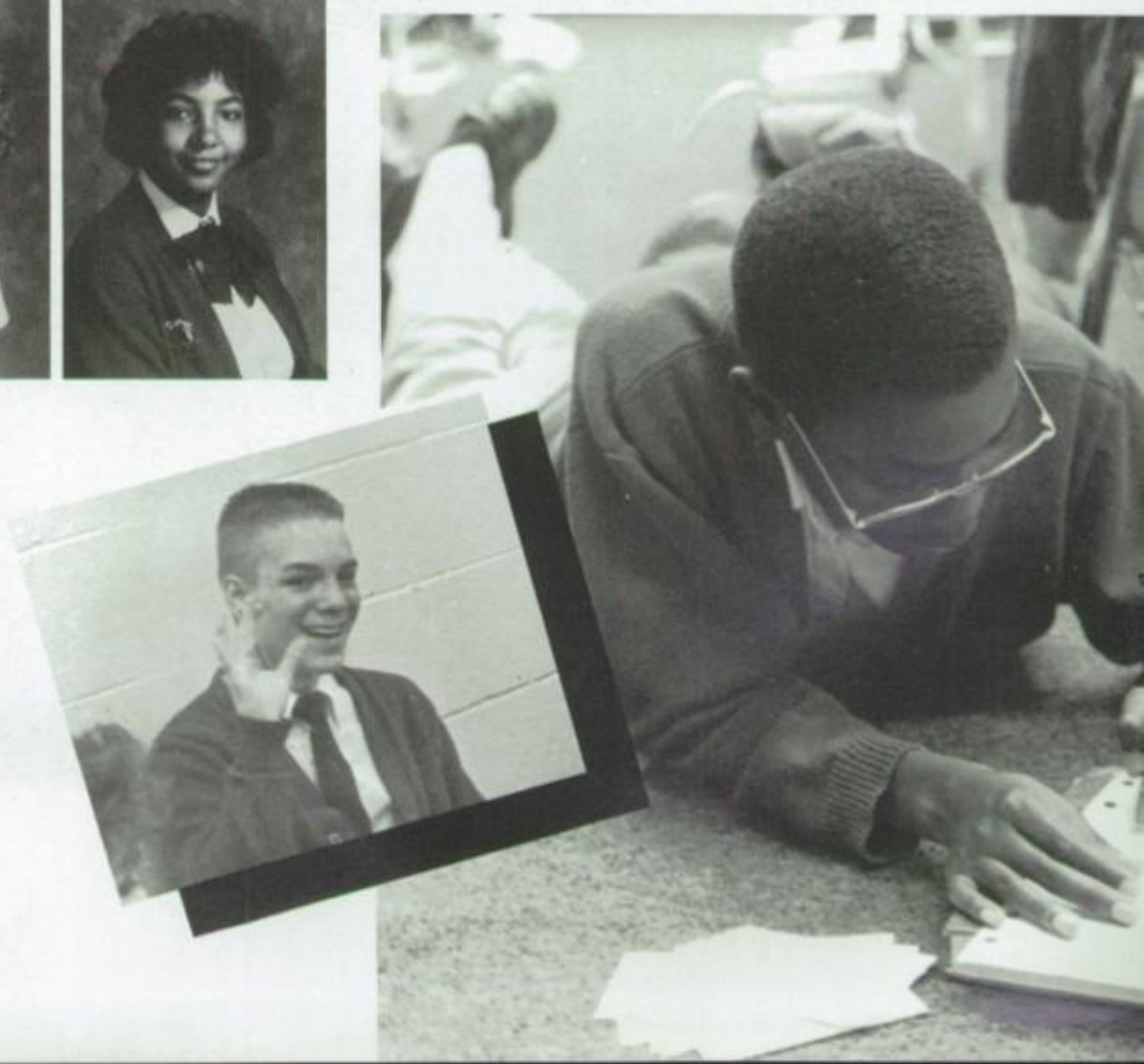
Stephanie Black
Leah Boettinger
Ross Bryant
Kari Bullington

Ginny Busby
Shelby Butler
Sharon Butler
Randall Colton
Joe Bob Comeaux
Paul Comer

Terri Cromeens
Jennifer Durrett
LaJuana Edwards

Getting down to serious work on his research paper, Elbert Lonzie jots down a few quotes.

Practicing his royal wave, Kevin Sutton escapes the drudgery of diagramming sentences.



High school "rookies" take the year in stride

What does it mean to be a freshman? – To be the youngest class on campus. Of course, this year's class has experience with that feeling because since the seventh grade they have been going to school on the high school hall. Every year, this group has been the youngest. They are now experienced rookies.

Even if they were comfortable in their familiar surroundings, high school itself was a new experience.

"We got a taste of what high school was all about," commented Jennifer Lewis. And that taste included Foreign Languages, Research Papers, Physical Science and "real" exams.

Out of the classroom, the class enjoyed both participating in and cheering for JV sports and beginning the job of raising funds for their junior and senior years.

Overwhelmed by assignments, Jami Smith grimaces as she adds another item to her list of things to do.

Deanna Fisher
Alan Gatton
Erica Haliman
Alberta Hardy
Heather Harris
Pam Henry

Andrew Hill
J. D. Hornbaker
Heather Huffman
Jonathan Humphrey
Paul Daniel Jackson

Sudheer Jayaprabhu
Sean Jett
Travis Keep
Shandra Lamb
Jennifer Lewis

Elbert Lonzie
Pam Loupot
Angela Lowery
Nicole Macalusco

Jason Marsh
Katie Mathews
Jill Matlock
Henry Medaris

Neil Merritt
Joseph Mitro
Stephanie Noteware
Amanda Osborn

Alysia Petty
Liz Pope
Juanita Porth
Brian Powell

Danny Prescott

Suzanne Reeves

Thinking about anything but Biology, Sudheer Jayaparabhu sneaks a smile at the photographer.

CLASS OFFICERS: From Left: Elbert Lonzie, vice president; Jamie Smith, secretary/treasurer; Sudheer Jayaparbhu, president.

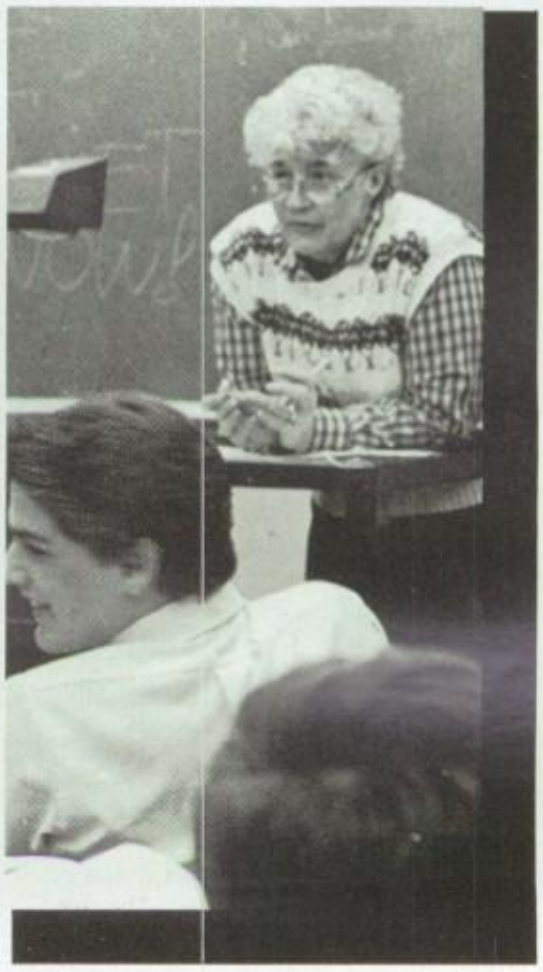
Scribbling quickly, Erica Halliman struggles to keep up with Coach Pittman's transparencies.

Getting a little nourishment before lunch, Ross Bryant ingests plastic from his pen cap.

Ignoring the statement on the board, both Mrs. Stark and Paul Daniel Jackson listen to the comments made by an English student.

Comparing their pearly whites, Jamie Berry and Kevin Sutton decide whose dentist is the best.

Andrea Rodriguez
Tiffany Rodriguez



Jennifer Roeser
Cari Santinga

Amy Sconyers
Todd Scott

Monica Seabolt
Scott Shiels
Jeff Simms
Jami Smith
Kacy Spates
Kelly Stevens

Kevin Sutton
Andrew Taylor
Javon Thigpen

Jason Walker
Margie Wall
Evan Wilcox

Chris Acevedo
Brian Albrecht
Alison Baines
John Baker
LaWanda Ballard
Michael Bearden

Brent Belvin
Erica Bookman
Kelly Clark
Steven Collins
Calvin Cross
Ross Cunningham

Growing pains? Stretched out muscles & minds

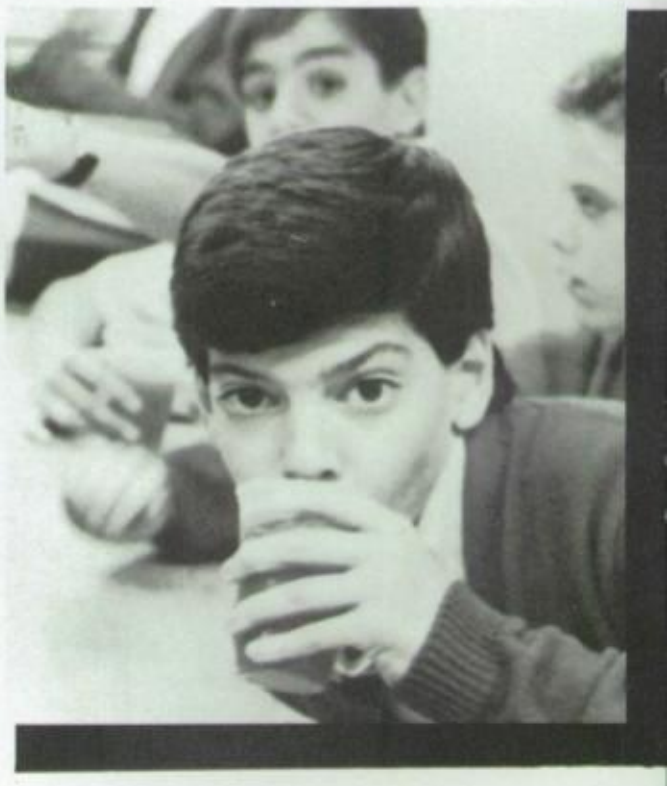
"Two pages on **EVERY** president???!!" A common cry of despair came from each of the eighth graders about their history project. "It was the hardest project of the whole year," said Ross Cunningham.

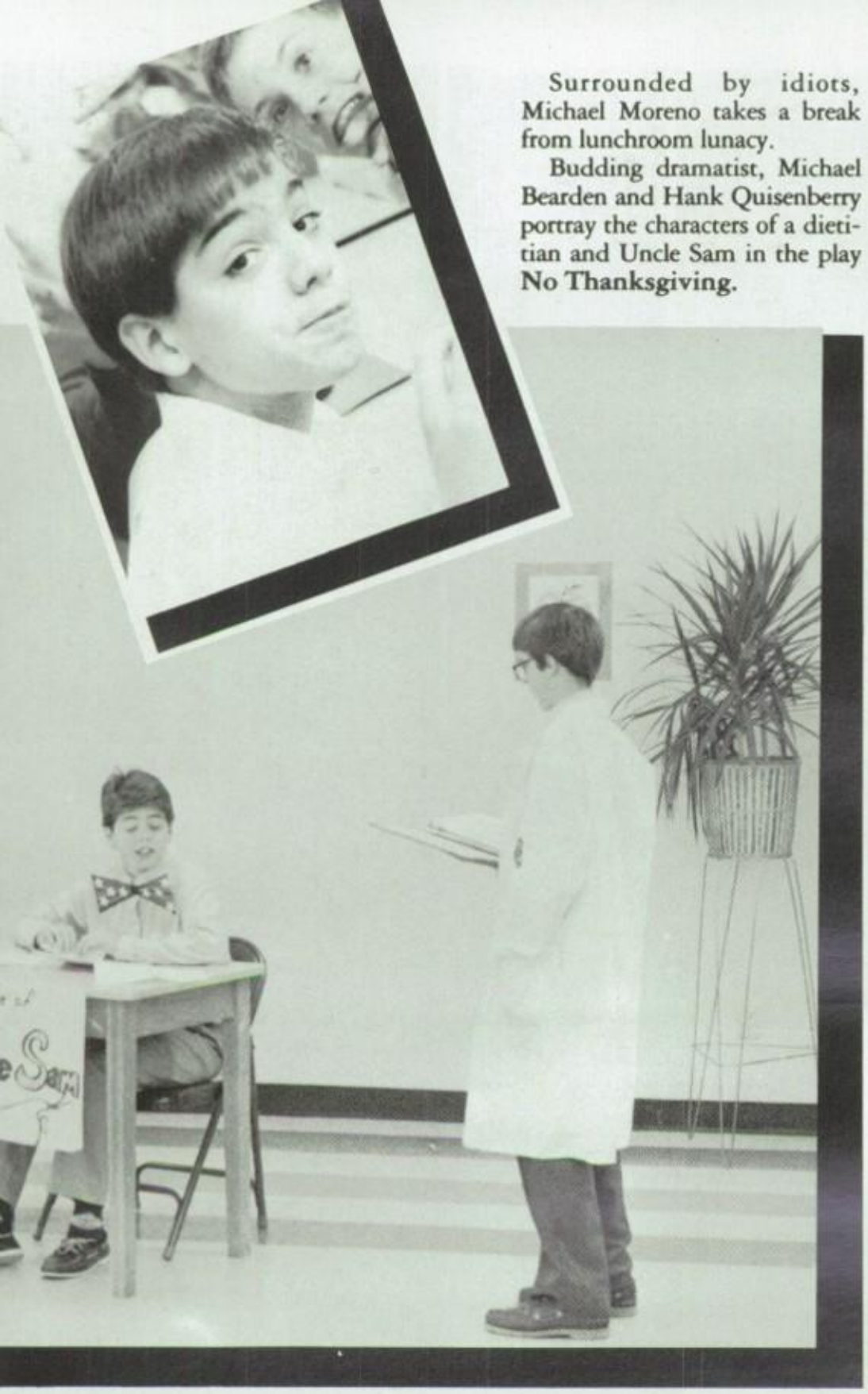
Developing both their leg muscles and their brains, the eighth grade students hiked back and forth between the Burt Building and the Spurgeon Harris Building many times in the course of one day.

Unlike the high school students, the eighth graders operated on a 9-week schedule and moved as a group through thei day, changing classes with the same students al day. Several new classes were offered for shor intervals. Besides the "old stand bys" o English, Math and Science, Computer, speech and drama were offered.

Lending a hand, Tyrone Nelson helps Cynthia Raabe put he folder back together.

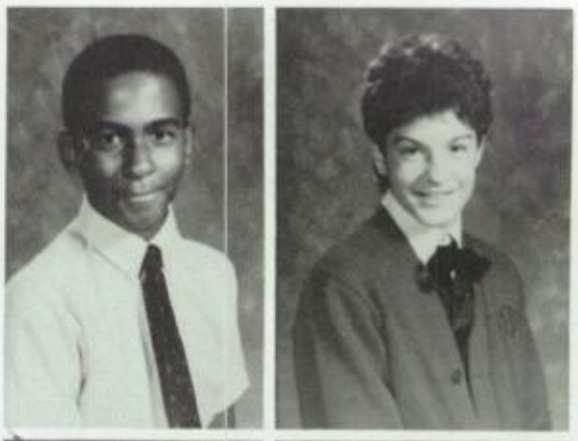
Gulping down his glass of punch, David Dodgen enjoys th party given in honor of the Jr. High athletes.





Surrounded by idiots, Michael Moreno takes a break from lunchroom lunacy.

Budding dramatist, Michael Bearden and Hank Quisenberry portray the characters of a dietitian and Uncle Sam in the play **No Thanksgiving.**



Vashon Dacus
Angela Davenport

Brad Dean
Christine Daplanty

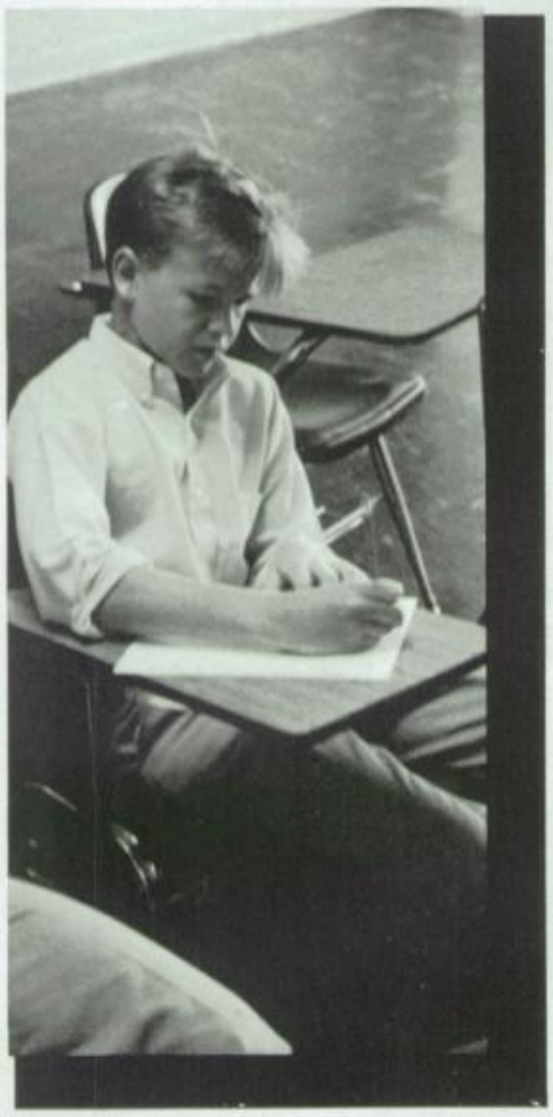
David Dodgen
Carri Donkervoet

Ashley Douthitt
Jeremy Durrett

Julia Everett
Belinda Foster
Latoy Franklin
Christian Garcia
Mark Garrett
David Grandstaff

Rebecca Hannah
Bridget Harrison
Jud Hartson
Paul Hawkins
Tim Hearon
Hope Hebert

Working on his History notes, Tim Hearon makes good use of his study hall.



Lisa Hernandez
Jeanna Hudgens
Dianne Johnson
Paul Kadane

Allyson Linn
Sharon Loh
Janna Martin
Jason Martin

Angie Melton
Laura Moore
Michael Moreno
Jeff Morgan

Kerri Muir
Carrie Nance

Paulette Neese
Rob Neilson

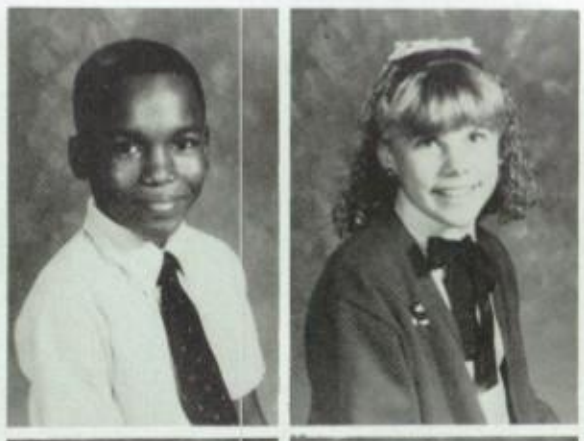
Tyrone Nelson
Janet Packer

Questions, Questions, Questions, Amy Weaver tries to comprehend equations in Algebra I class.

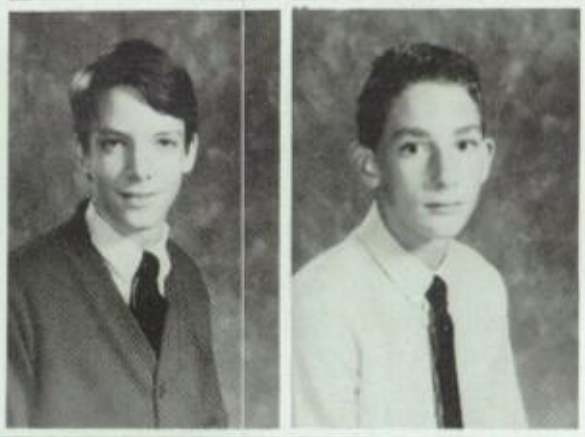
Watching her figure, Jeanna Hudges takes only two cookies at the athlete appreciation party.

With his Science book open, Calvin Cross pretends to do his math homework.

Preparing for their project, Michael Bearden, Brent Belvin, and Brian Albrecht cover the windows.



Robert Peters
Janna Poe



Michael Porter
Mark Quinn

Hank Quisenberry
Cynthia Raabe
Julie Rusk
Mark Taylor
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Shannon Welsh
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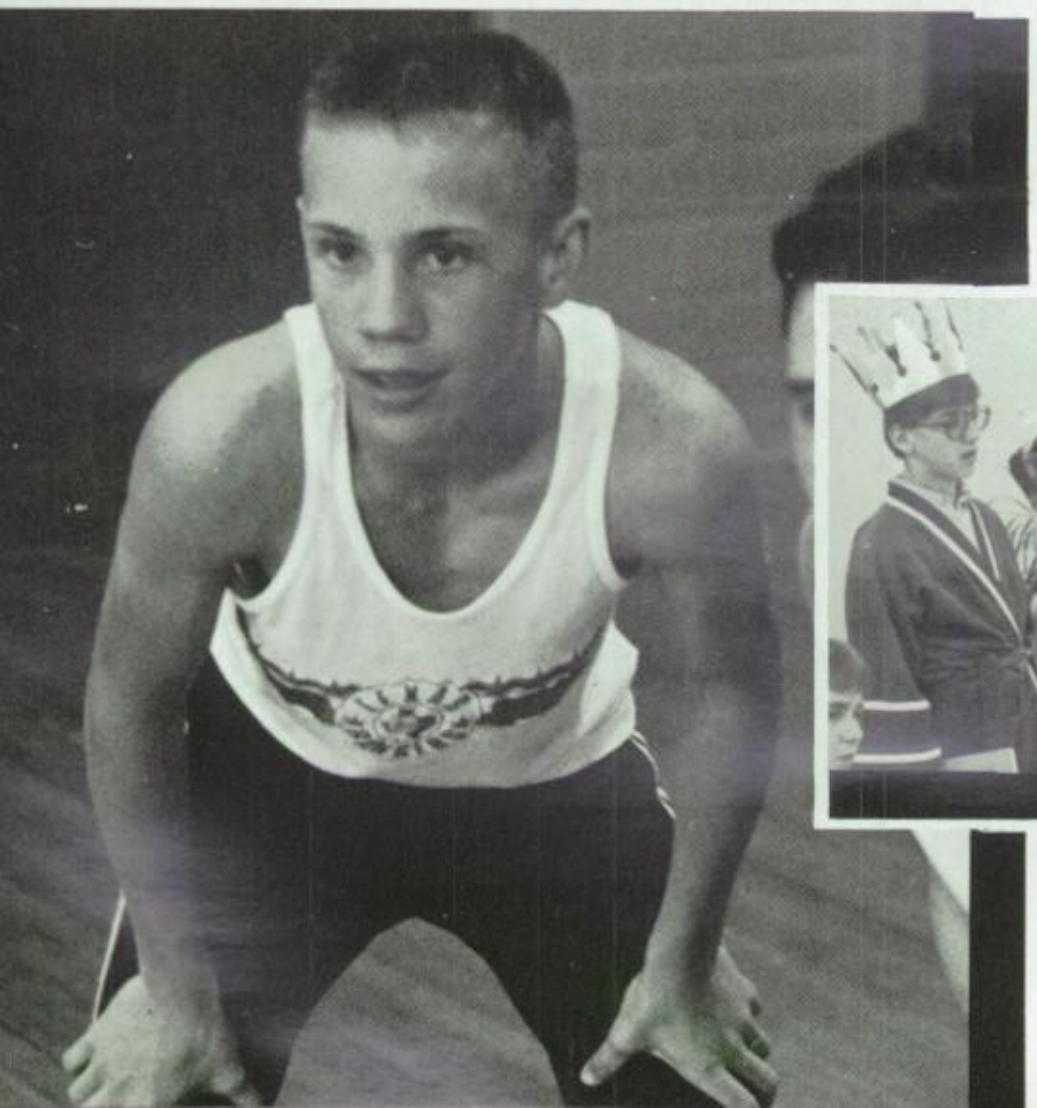
Carol Ann Whitton
Nikki Williams
Nathan Williams
Chad Wyrostek



While playing a game in P.E., Judd Hartson gets ready to take off

One of the wisemen (Christian Garcia) shows Joseph (Jeff Morgan) his place in the script while the two other wisemen (John Baker and Robert Peters) and Mary (Paulette Neese) await his line.

Moving up . . . Seventh grade takes junior high in stride

Seventh graders find life on the edge somewhat startling. "It's harder, but with more fun — you have more freedom," commented Jeni Kerr.

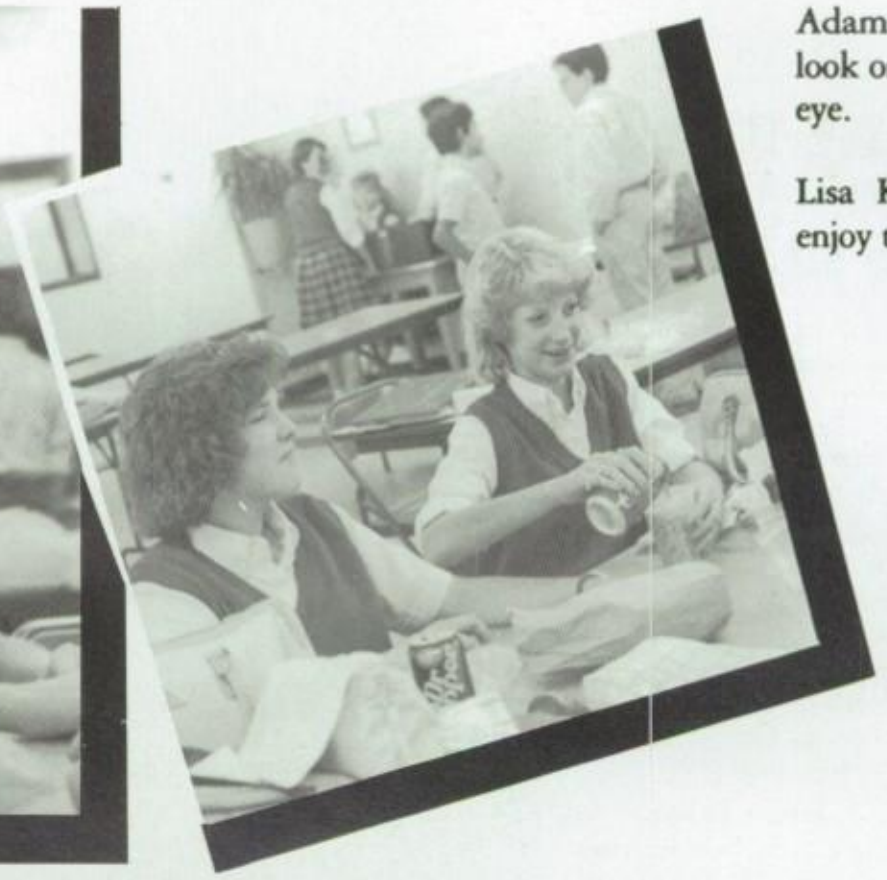
New to the Junior High, this class coped well with the High School floor and their patriotic groups of red, white, and blue classes.

The Christmas banquet was a highlight of the year with two students, Carrie Lively and Staci Townsley, singing the twelve days of Christmas. They called up the audience to participaqte and, as Stace Townsley remarked, "Everyone had a great time."Alexandra Laporte looks on as Sharyl Taylor prepares to eat her meal.

Lisa Baker
Jeff Barnes
Matthew Beecham
Amy Brittain
Brad Brittain
Catherine Brown

Jonathan Brubaker
Brandi Brummett
Rebeka Carreon
Stefanie Carreon
Clayton Coates
Anna Comer

Christina Comparini
Sean Covin
Gregory Cox
Michael Curtis
Jaquita Deaton
William Edwards



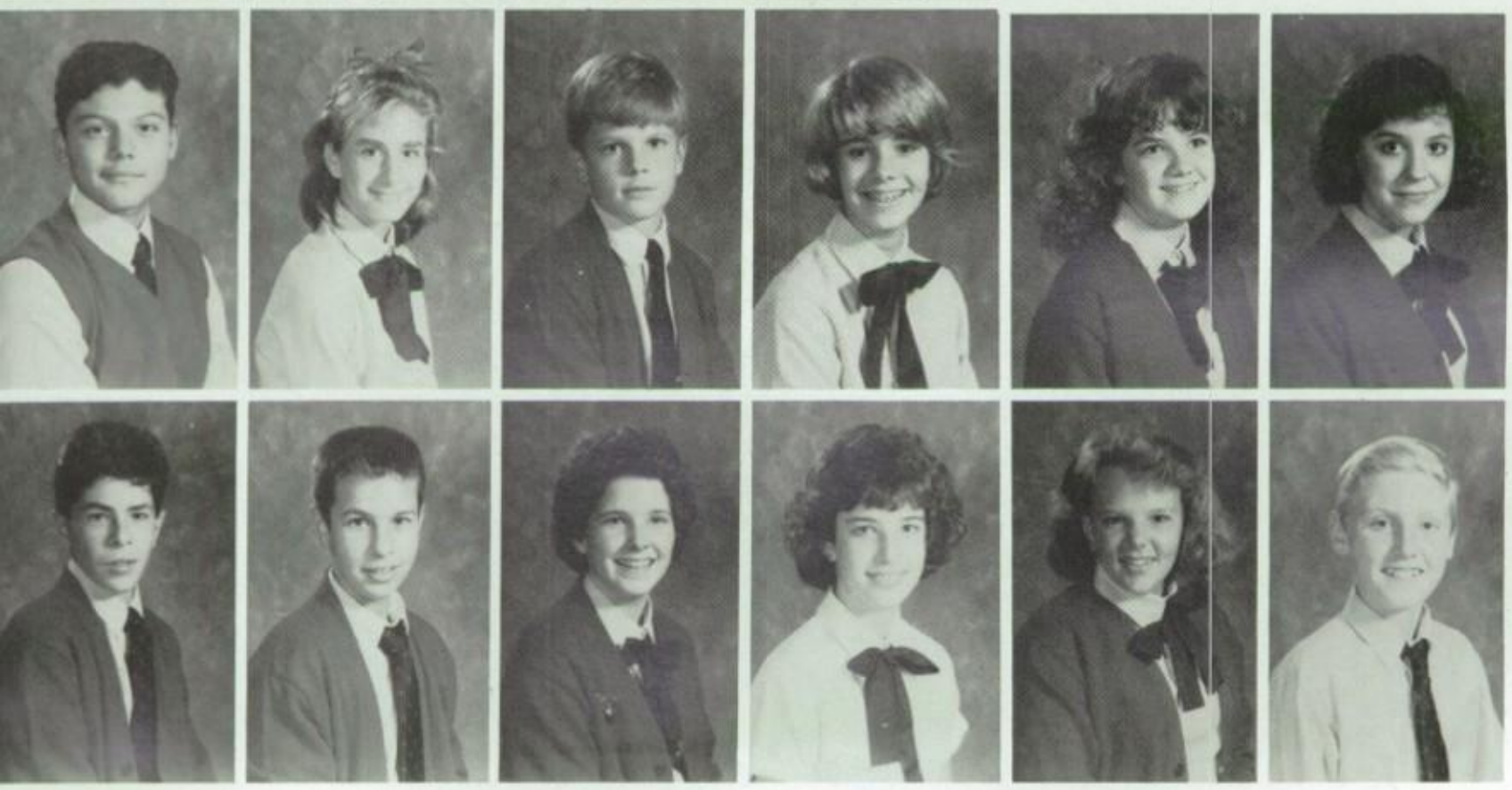
Adam Kadane and Kevin Couch look on as Greg Cox gives a girl the eye.

Lisa Kennedy and Sharyl Taylor enjoy their lunch.

Sean Covin laughs with a friend.

Daniel Farr
Ashley Ferguson
Lea Fisher
Chad Fineske

Harry Frankfeld
Kristi Guy
Jason Hardin
Dusk Harris



Kimberly Hart
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Jason Jarrett
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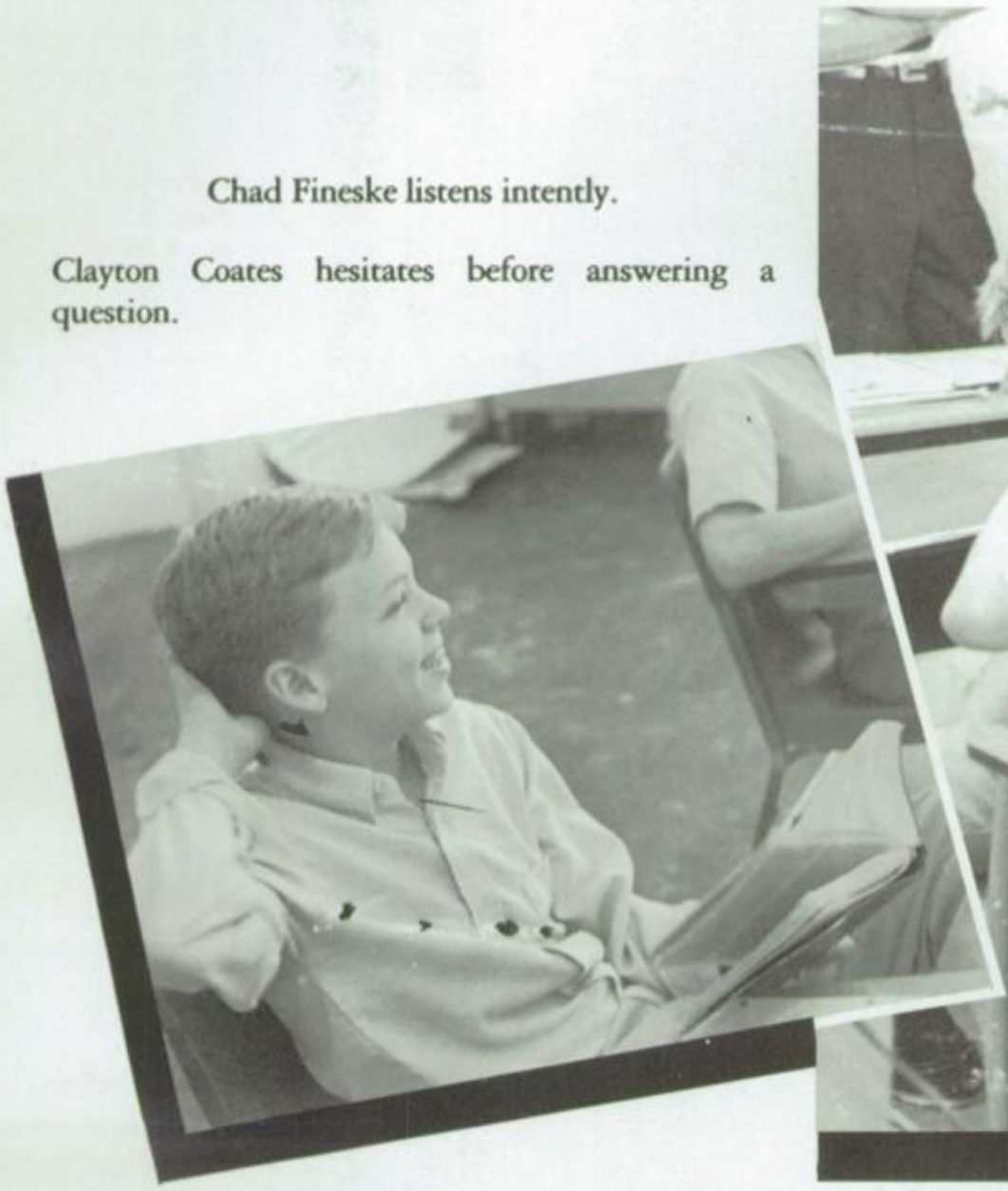
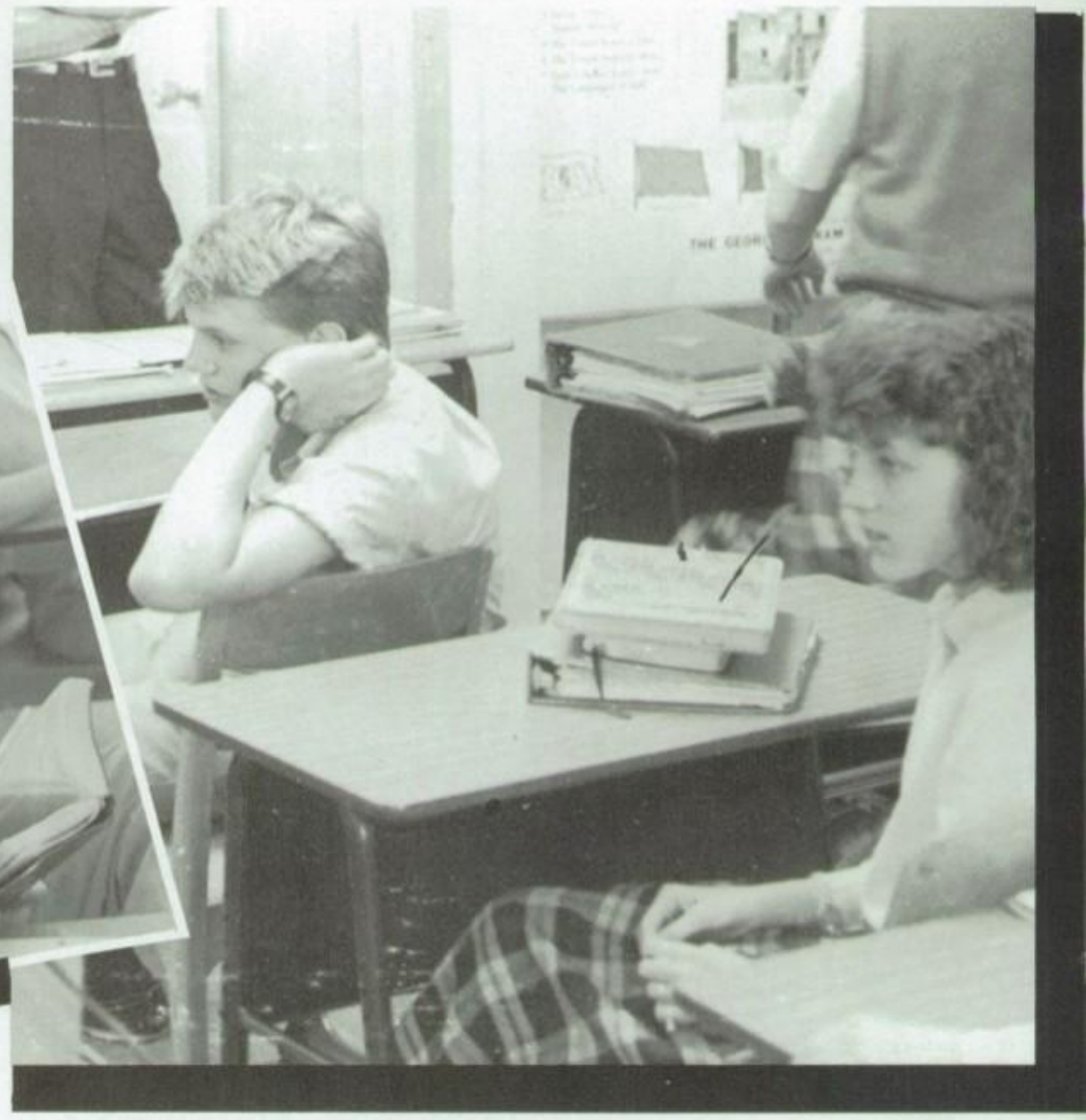
Chad Fineske listens intently.

Clayton Coates hesitates before answering a question.





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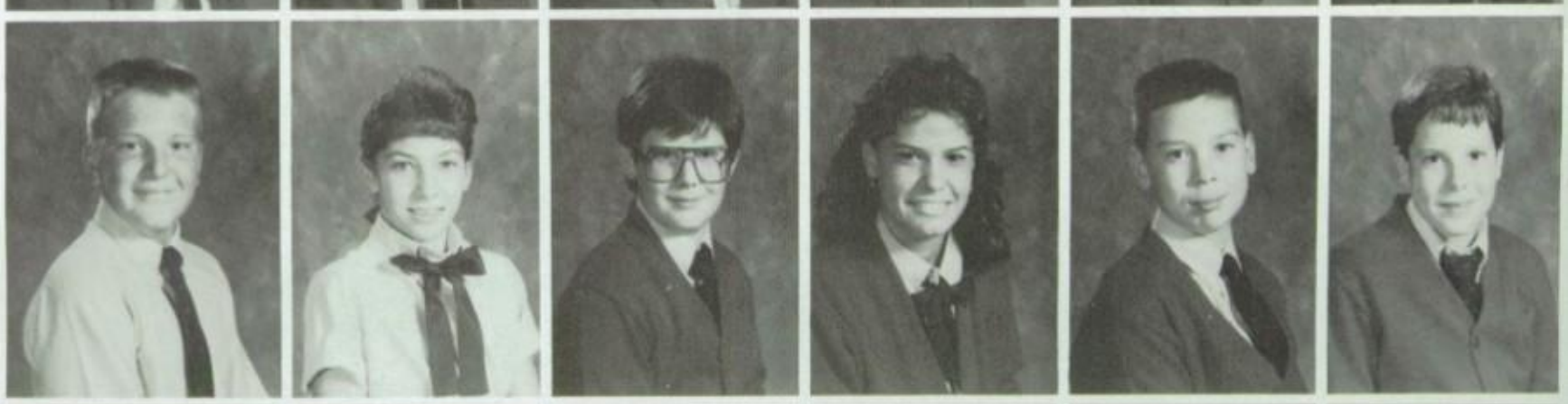

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Brenna Parthemore
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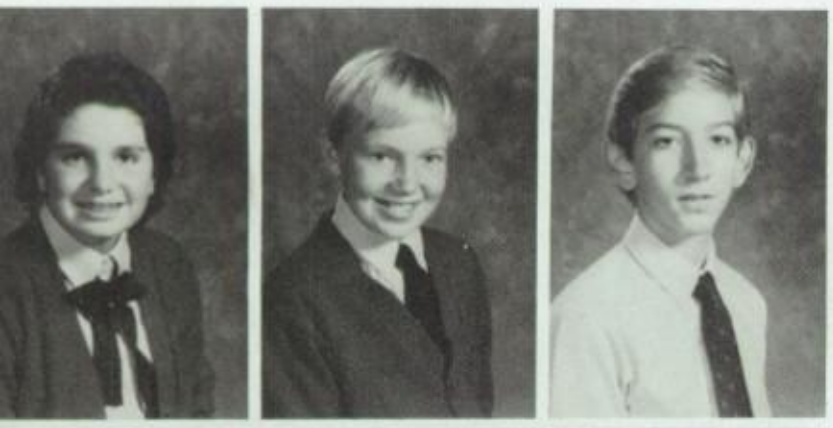

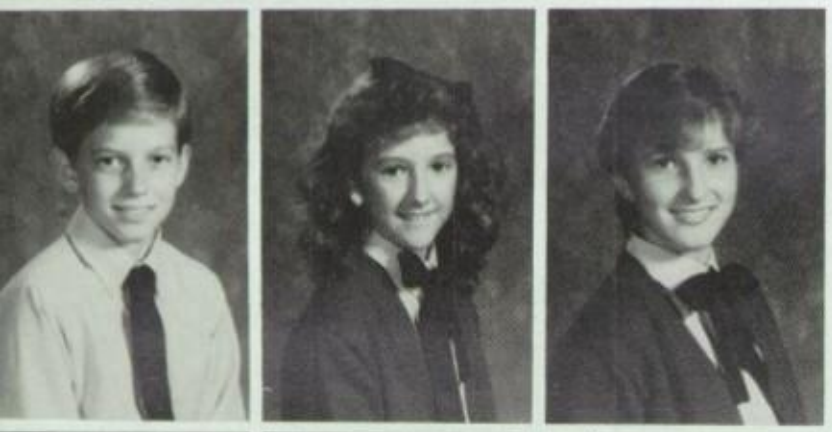

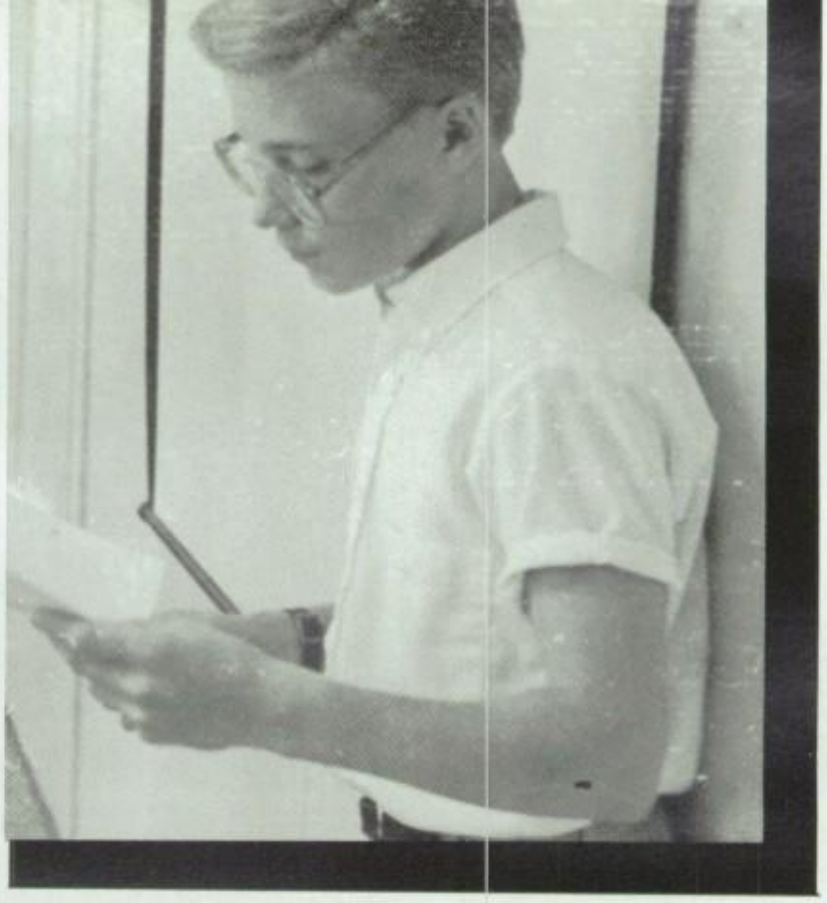

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Joel Pulis
Matthew Ramsey

Joel Reeves
Melody Riddle
Jill Santinga

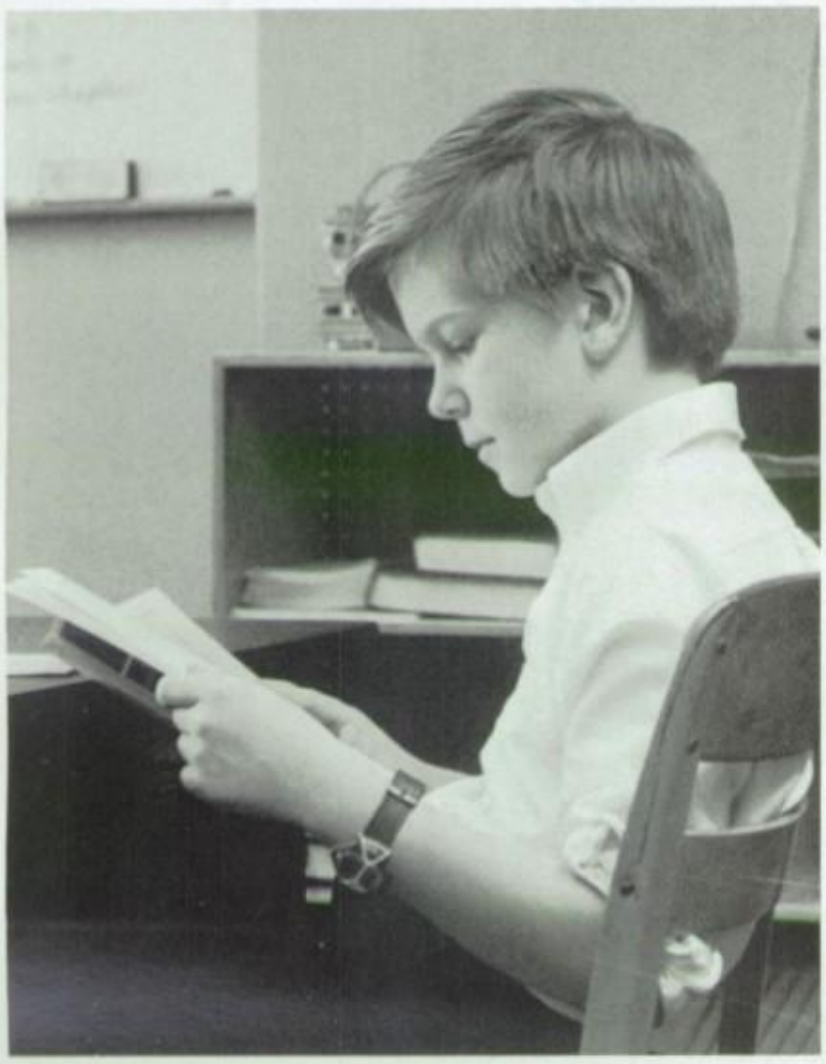
Charles Smith
Denver Smith
Cynthia Sutton
Shannon Talkington

Sheryl Taylor
Stacey Townsley
Paul Wells
Tara Williams

Jim Lively goes over his report which he is about to deliver.

Clayton Coates tenses before a free throw.

Brenna Parthmore makes a good point.



The Sleeping Beauty

Amy Bryant squeezes in some outside reading.

Christy Anderson
Mrs. Judy Blount

Kea Bookman
Lateefah Booty

Amy Bryant
Amy Bush
Isaiah Evans
Mark Falcon
Amy Horton

Jason Kaup
Amy Kline
Gary Lancaster
Eric Mann
Charlie Moore

Dean Reed
Angela Rodriuqez

Paul Roueche
Luke Weedon

With pencil poised, Amy Kline ponders an English assignment

Leslie Arnold

Karen Baines
Cassidy Blackshear

Amy Boughton
Jeremy Dean
Hubert Freeman
Stephanie Hindall
Stephen Inglay

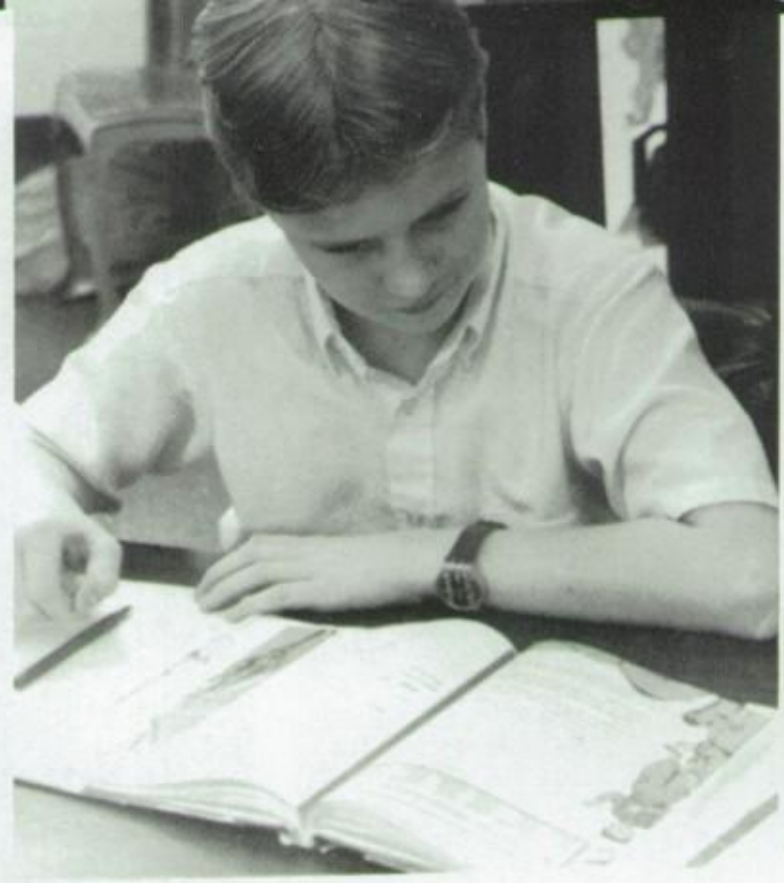
Kelley Martin
Matt Martin
Jeremy Mitro
Emily Parthemore
Ashley Brook Sallee

Edward Scearce
Meredith Shaw
Roshawn Talley

Mrs. Daphna Reece
David Taylor
Natalie Weaver

6th grade

Jeremy Dean struggles through an English assignment.



Roshawn Talley pauses amidst her studies to spend time in prayer.

Chaka Penny gets involved in her classwork.

Carol Smith finishes her vocabulary lesson.

Shawn Baker
Candice Bearden

Mandy Daniel
Jeffrey Dean

Jeffery Green
Wade Hampton
Julie Harris
Hudson Hartson
Jason Lambert

Anna Long
Stephanie Mason
Sam Phillips
Douglas Reeves
Carol Smith

Amy Taylor

Mrs. Leslie Goben
not pictured:
Crystal Davis
Chaka Penny

Mrs. Laurie Sedwick
Kassi Allen
Adam Atwood
Jamieson Clem
Fredrick Daniels

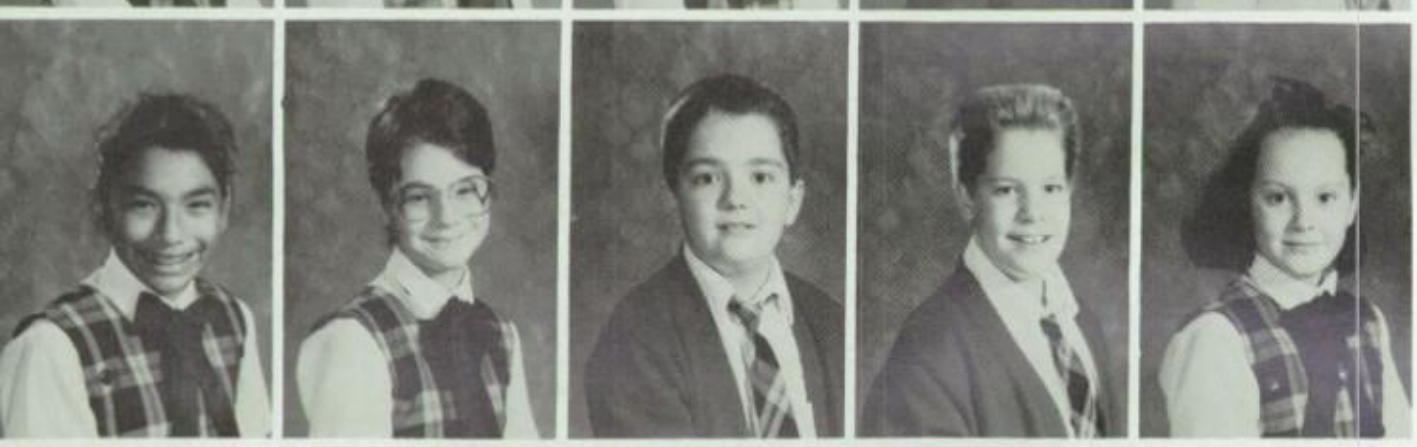
Travis Ewert
Jennifer Fincher
Inga Harrison
Nicholas Hurst
Benjamin Hook

Jennifer Jones
Julienne Kaup
Joshua McFarlane
Andrew Nance
Kristen Nelson

Brian Poole
Somer Pyron
Kimberly Reeves
Esther Rohm
Laura Shinn

Jennifer Fincher pulls her legs up to get down to some serious studying.

Mrs. Kay Thedford gives some personal instruction to Jashua Hurst.



Penny Brady
Keith Burgoyne
Tasha Curry
Ryan Dunn
Chad Fulton

Cosharie Gardner
Melinda Hardin
Kristian Howard
Joshua Hurst
Corey Jones

Lisa Mattinez
Amy Mavridis
Stephen Short
Joes Slack
Stefani Talley

Stephanie Tereschuk
Kathy White
Chonda Williams
Mary Young
Mrs. Kay Thedford

Mrs. Sylvia Tereschuk
John Alberts
William Baily
David Dillard
Dwayne Dummer

Edward Elsey
Scott Fineske
Jill Greeney
Jason Hardy
Shyra Holmes

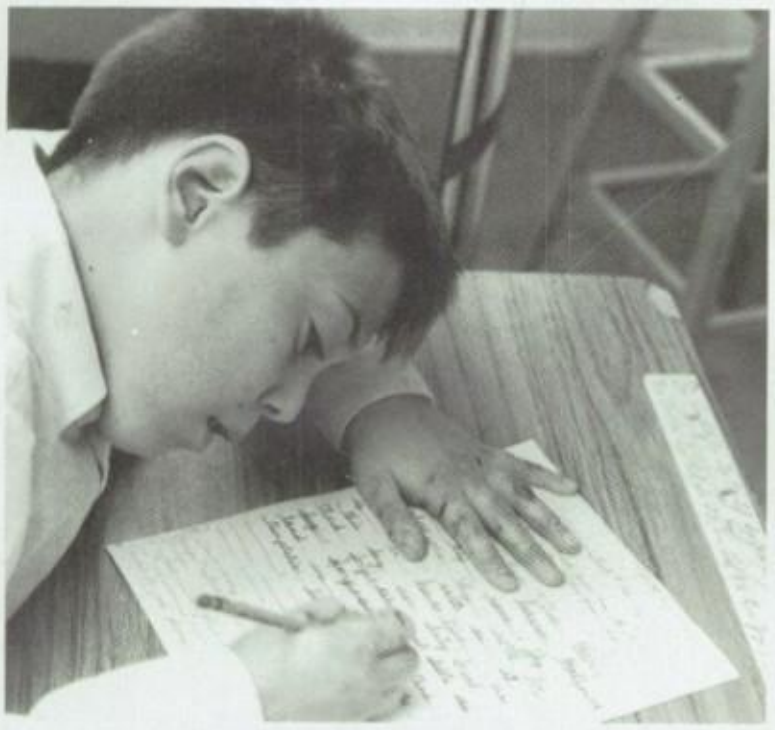
Carmen Kieke
Joy Leatherwood
Jocelyn Lewis
David Packer
David Pretlove

Kristy Pitt
Nicole Ramirez

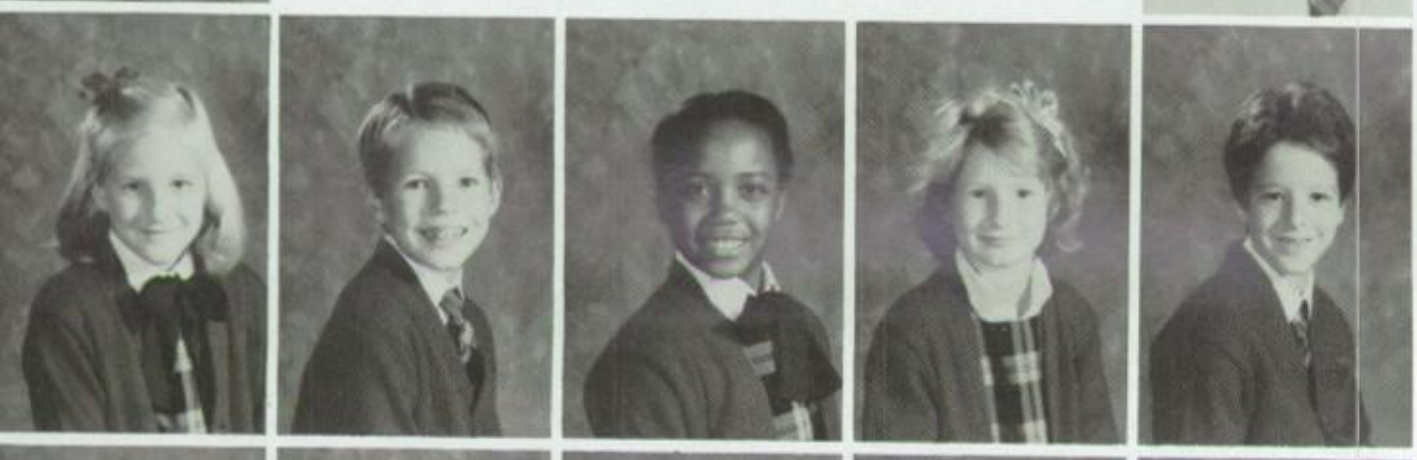
Joy Leatherwood shies away from her grammar.

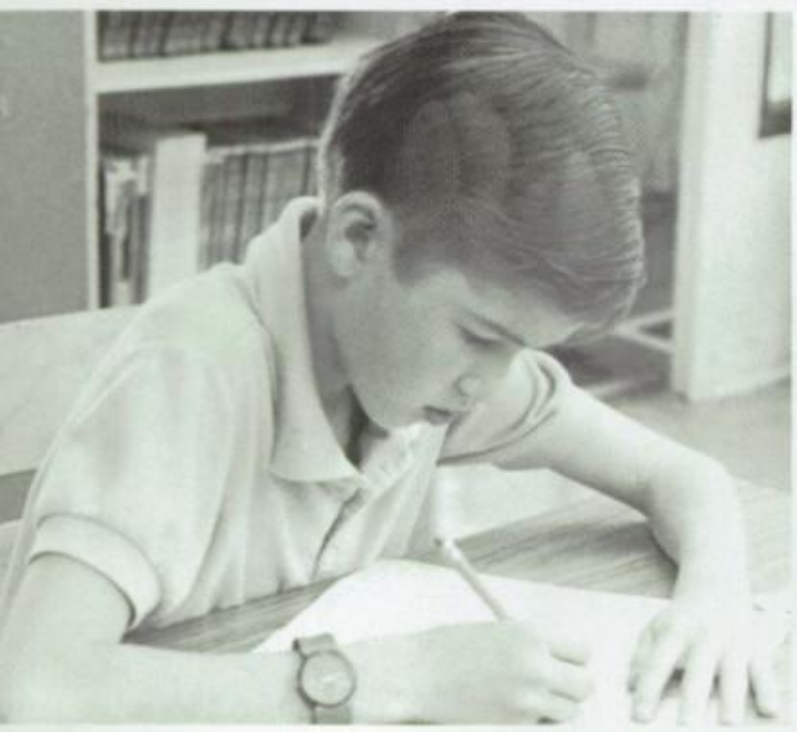
Jill Greeney gives her opinion of her science work.

5th grade



Andy Moore confidently transcribes the Lord's Prayer.





Cameron Blackshear struggles through a history lesson.

Krystal Beamon

Cameron Blackshear
Damon Bowman

Oliva Brown
Darren Dummer
Amy Freeman
Leslie Lambert
Jeremy Mitchell

Andy Moore
Kevin Rasberry
Geoffery Sanford
Paul Shanks
Alicia Surratt

Lance Talkington
Derek Toone

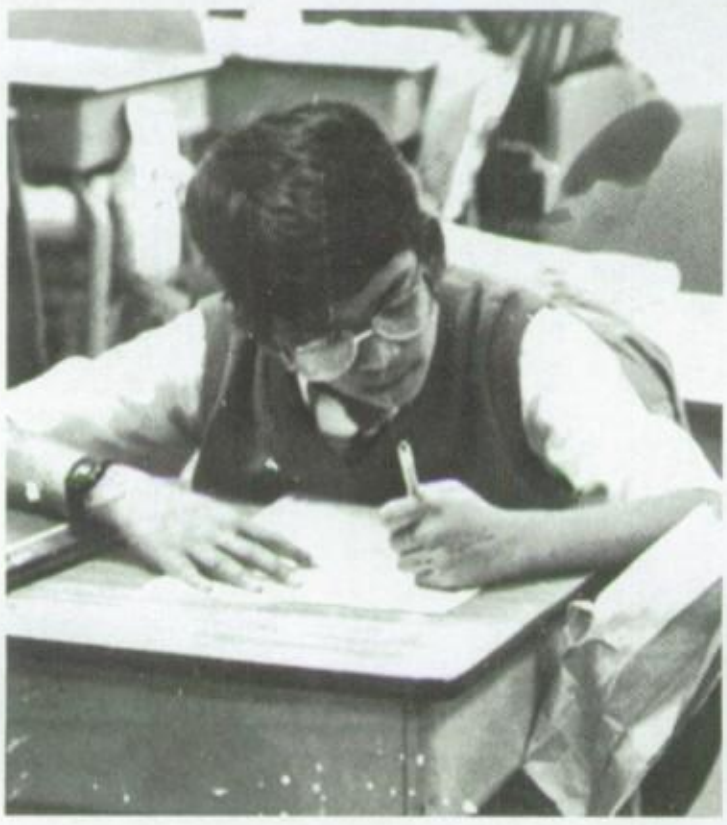
Chalin Wright
Miss April Snow

Mrs. Mary Lynn Payne
John Barnes
Rachel Comer
Adrienne Douglas
Jennifer Dunn

Brad Hatfield
Sundeep Jayaprabhu
Marcus Martin
Lori Miears
Jeaniece Pate

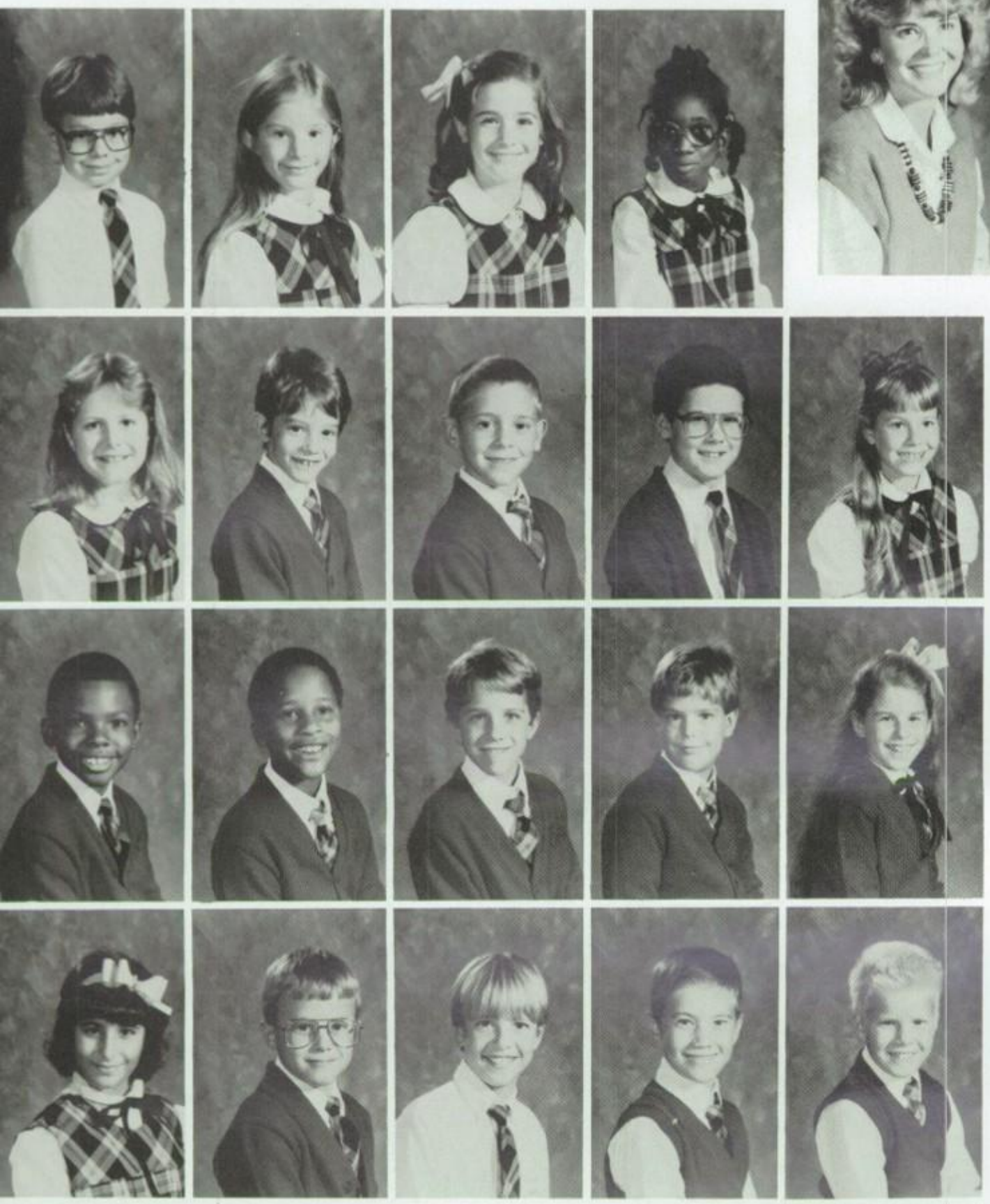
Alexis Stapleton
Ellis Taylor
Eric Vandivort
Amy Wilson
Willie Pete Williams

Not Pictured:
Marcus Carroll
Michael Daley
Kristopher Wade



Sundeep Jayaprabhu works intently on his class work.

Girls in Mrs. Payne's class get into the spirit of Valentines.



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Clarice Barnes
Emily Basham
Misty Boyd
Mrs. Julie McCullough

Lucinda Brown
Chris Coleman
Aaron Davis
Trey Denton
Kimberly Donkervoet

Jeremiah Evans
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Rodney Farrell
Chris Herndon
Lindy Holder

Anushae Irani
David Johnson
Joshua Pettit
Josh Pulis
Ryan Schwarzentraub

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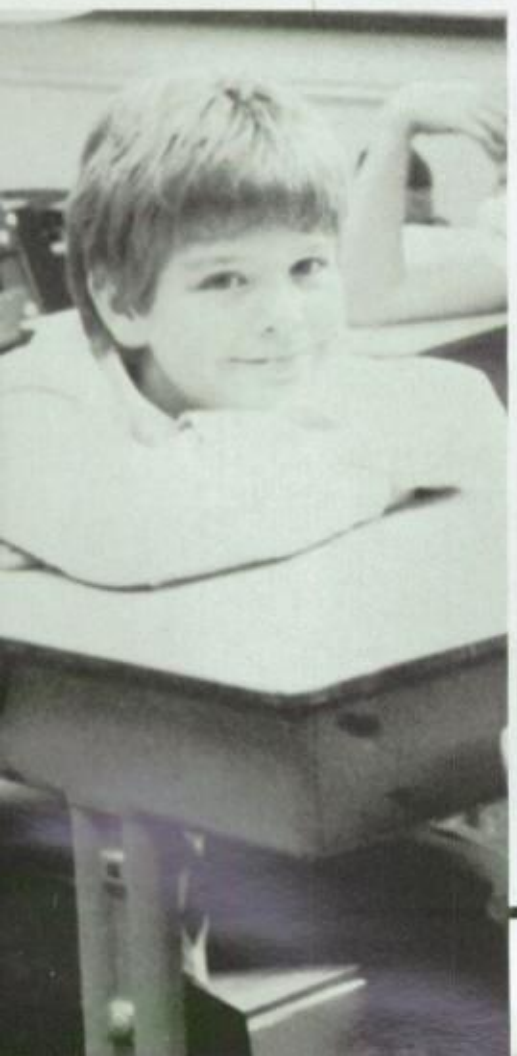


David Johnson sits in class wondering how he will ever make it through the next nine years.

Looking smug **Chris Herndon** takes a break before lunch.

Mrs. Ann Horton
Travis Arnold
Jonah Bookman
Aaron Bradford
Stacy Carreon

Jeremy Crew
Pati Downey
Andrew Edwards
Kelley Ewert
Tommy Harris

Stacye Hill
Artis Kuntz
Spencer Shaw
Tiana Tereschuk
Jennifer Turner

Jennifer White
Rob White

Smiling at her studies, **Stacy Carreon** feels a sense of accomplishment as she finishes her work.

Stacye Hill finds her lap more comfortable than her desk.

David Busby
Diana Dosterschill
Tara Lodie Fulton
Chris Hook
Mrs. Susan Marstaller

Patrice Johnson
Blaine Karlen
Doak Lander
Amy Longman
Kate Medlin

Joe Moore
Heather Neuenschwander
Layne Rogers
Tyler Sanderford
Richard Saunders

Samuel Sexton
Billy Townsley
Ashlie Young

Pondering over his studies **Billy Townsley** is stumped by his work.

After several unsuccessful tries, **Tara Fulton** finally figures out her homework.

Mrs. Diane Hendrickson
John Amick
Brandy Benton
Erica Clem
Holly DePlanty

Forrest Duer
Angela Eitel
Shauna Henderson
Mark Killingsworth
Elaine Kung

Tricia Muton
Lindsay Mullins
Anh-Khoa Nguyen
Andressa Oliveira
Michael Ozuna

Carlton Rauschenberger
Steffanie Rhodes
Brian Smith
Scott Tompkins
April Wallace

Brian Williams

Angela Eitel works hard on her art project about George Washington.

Boys take time out from lunch to pose for the camera.

Eric Bobb
Crystal Bowling
Keisa Brown
Brenna Burgess
Mrs. Susan Frank

Melissa Deyo
Helen Dosterschill
Jessica Hays
Angel Kentopp
Min-jung Kim

Douglas Kline
Esther Loh
Corey Nkosi
Ann Oliveira
Aaron Palacio

Israel Parker
Tiffany Peek
Antoinette Toney

James Traylor
Eric Triplette
Tennile Young

Brenna Burgess tries to finish her work so she won't have any homework.

Esther Loh tries to figure out four down.

Miss Ann Davis
Steve Anderson
Amy Bowling
Christa Brown
Constance Canada

Jeremy Daniel
Amber Drake
Ryan Green
John David
Hendrickson
Ebonie Hughey

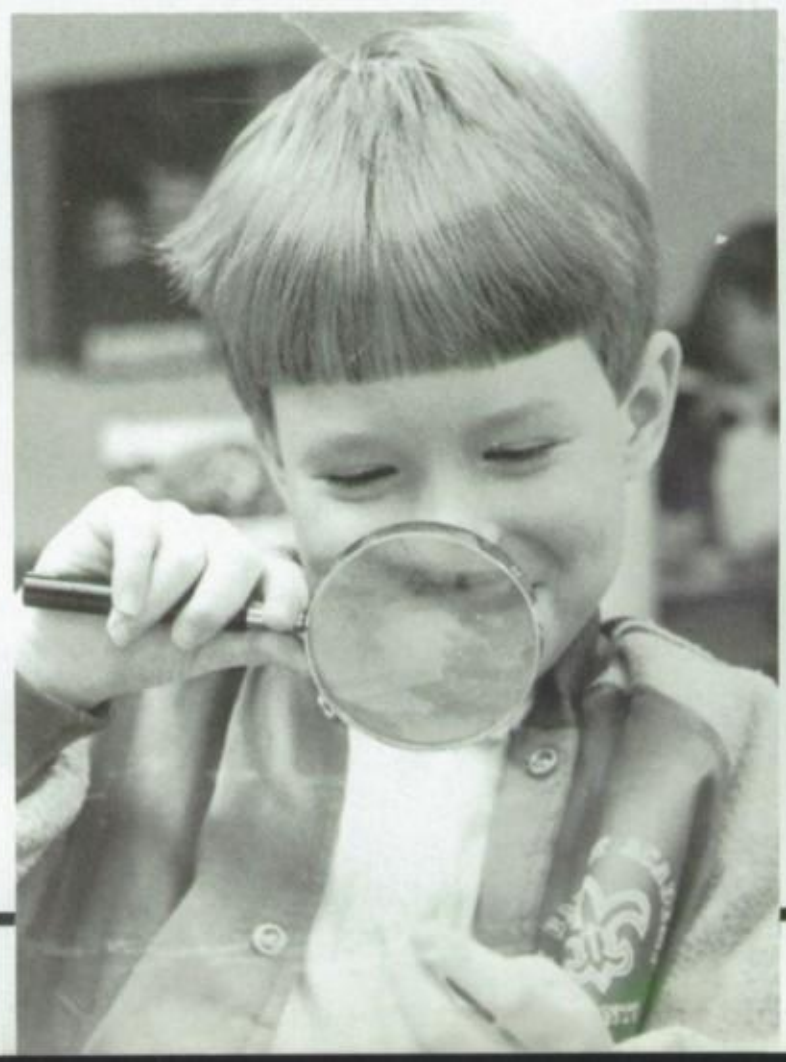
Crystal Kropp
Rachael Land
Cody Marstaller
Nicholas Mestriner
Rachel Moore

Aaron Morris
Samuell Pendyala
Elizabeth Rohm
Tiffany Rucker
Craig Titsworth

Tiffany Turner

Randall Van Heyst

Jeremy Daniel takes a close look at his homework.



2nd grade

people

ara Acevedo answers SRA quetions at the end of the ory.

Sara Acevedo
Mrs. Mary Jane Colton

Laura Barnes
Matthew Bearden

David Cortes
Any Denton
Jonathan Dockery
Derek Dummer
Tricia Greeney

Heather Klein
Vincent Martinez
Natalie Niemann,
Ralph Parker,
Morgan Roberts

John Scearce
Shane Spillers
Brittaine Thompson
Jay Wallace
Jason Weiser

Charnelle Wiley

Camera Shy?? Several first graders pose for their pictures.

Mrs. Carol Gilliland
Bill Beavers
Tanaya Claiborne
Chris Cooper
Jeremy Crady

Angela Dunn
Ben Hines

Issac Kadane
Justin Kropp

Studying with a smile, Leslie Murphy begins her assignment.

Ryan Long
Brandon McDowell
Lesley Murphy
Ellen Nix
Mary Parker

Jamie Pettit
Quaniqua Ragsdale
Jennifer Vasquez
Jenafer Wade
Jordan Wyrostek

Starting with a proper heading, Jenafer Wade prints her name.

1st grade

people

Reyna Barrett
Sarah Basham
Jason Bennett
Erin Crosby
Miss Valerie Hanson

David Drake
Paul Eitel
William Hardy
Gerald Howard
Richard Kentopp

Michael Mazyck

LaShell Nelson

Daniel Padilla
Carlotta Peugh
Joshua Ramsey
Maegen Trawnik
Adam Wilson

Oral Drills Miss Hanson listens as Gerald Howard recites his spelling words

Working his way through the workbook, Jason Bennett practices his phonics skills

Not Pictured:
Jill Abright
Cristin Laurence

Mrs. Packer

Mrs. Packer leads her class in their daily studies.

Krista Anderson
Russell Boettinger

Donald Carroll
Stephenie Copeland
Matthew Craig
Benjamin Dockery
Christina Dozier

Hyung-Nam Kim
David Lacy
Miguel Martinez
Richie Morris
Andrea Ramirez

Marcus Rogers,
Daniel Shanks

Matt Spillers, Elisabeth
Wonnacott

Russell Boettinger takes a break from the hectic kindergarten schedule.

Mrs. Patti Mitchell
Nicholas Bowden
Tiffany Brown
Ryan Dunn
Kimberly Echols

Kevin Fineske
Erin Hines
Nicole Henderson
Birdette Hughey
Rebecca McLeroy

Jason Moody
Raven Moore

Daniel Packer
Justin Quiroga

Jonathan Robb
Aimee Van Heyst

Grant Williams,
Talitha Wollman

Tiffany Brown shows her classmates what she has learned about the weather. Working over his letters, Jonathon Robb frowns in concentration.

Mrs. Cindy Folmer

Dzung Nguyen and John Mark Strange enjoy themselves during class.

Henry Aguilar
Sharon Arnold

Michael Belvin
Cliff Conner
John Mark Strange
Tiffany Fincher
Erica Harrison

Justin Horn
Gil Irani
Chanel Kentopp
Kristopher Lusk
Nicholas Mavridis

Dzung Nguyen,
Laci Poulter

Nathan Stoutimore,
Alexis Toone

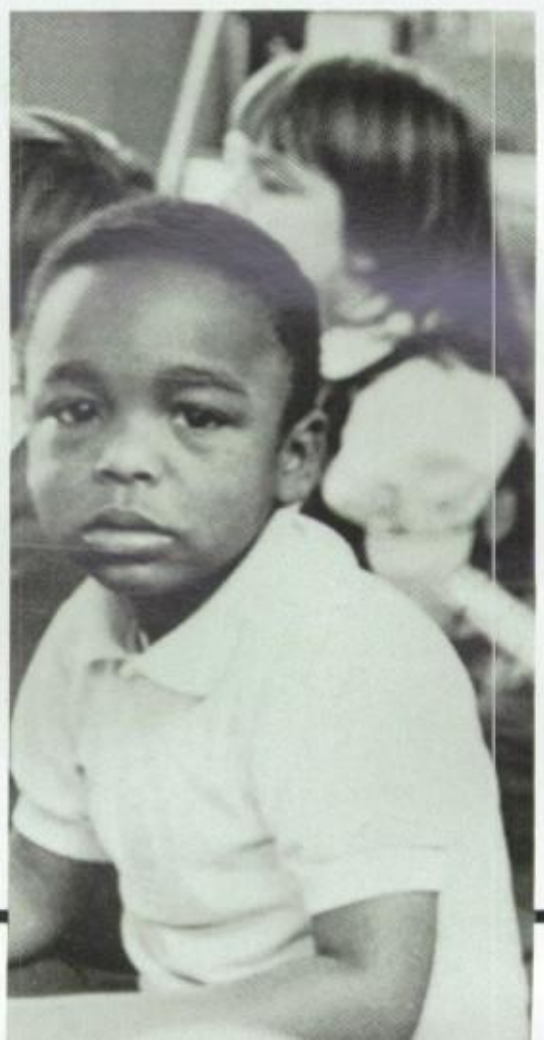
Telling stories in a circle, Mrs. Folmer teaches her class Bible principles.

Christopher Allen
Amber Arnold
Emon Bailey
Brandie Baker
Miss Monica McBrayer

Nicholas Boyd
John Buzzell
Adrian Garcia
Jennifer Graham
Grayson Jackson

Miss McBrayer's students listen intently during reading time. Emon Bailey looks like he is ready for nap time.

Constance Lindsay



Bill Luckey
Jessica Medlin
Bill Morrison

Jackie Richards
Marc Sandford
Jeremy Yates

profile

what they do on the outside

Rachelle Hast keeps SKATING morning & night

BY PEGGY STERLING

"At times I feel like giving up, but I don't know what I would do if I didn't skate." — Rachelle Hast

Sophomore Rachelle Hast's day begins every morning at 6:15 at the Plaza of the Americas. When everyone else is just getting up, Rachelle is at the rink perfecting her ice skating. After skating for over two hours in the morning, she goes through a full day of school and then returns to the rink after school to skate another three hours.

When she was ten, Rachelle started taking group lessons at the Plaza of the Americas. Later, she began taking private lessons and competing. She is now in Intermediate Freestyle, on her fourth figure test in the United States Figure Skating Association (U.S.F.S.A.) and the International Skating Institute of America (I.S.I.A.) and in Freestyle 7 in the I.S.I.A.

Rachelle competes about ten times each year in both U.S.F.S.A. and I.S.I.A. competitions. Her most recent U.S.F.S.A. competition was a show skate. She was judged mainly on choreography and interpretation of the music. In this competition she won 2nd place for her Dramatic Program.

Racelle realizes the benefits of skating extend past the rink. "It has helped me become more responsible, because I do have to work hard to keep up with my grades in school and still improve my skating." She also feels that she has more confidence in herself.

Rachelle admits that she doesn't love the early morning practices, but "It's worth it!"

Early in the morning, Sophomore Rachelle Hast perfects her figures.

Mandi Baldridge takes CYCLING seriously

BY PEGGY STERLING

Before she began competing with other cyclists, Mandi Baldridge tried to outdo herself. Mandi's father put an odometer computer on her bike, which she received on her thirteenth birthday, and every day her goal was to beat the distance from the day before.

Mandi says she practices as much as possible. Most mornings, when the weather permits, Mandi rides from 4:30 to 6:30 a.m.

Mandi recently won the gold medal in the 7-11 Citizen's Race. Mandi's main goal is to be happy with her cycling. She wants to be known as a top cyclist.

For Mandi, cycling and competing have disciplined her. While she is cycling she has time to think without being interrupted. Mandi also comments that cycling has helped her because, "It keeps me tan!"

As the morning sunrises, Junior Mandi Baldridge tries to cycle an extra mile.

Bob Beazley turns to KARATE for self-discipline

BY CHRIS COGGINS

During the school day Bob Beazley may seem like a calm, cool, easy-going guy, but two or three nights a week, he turns to his favorite hobby — Karate.

Karate has many different forms, and the form Bob is being instructed in is called Tae Kwon Do. At the state karate tournament in Tyler, Bob won a first place gold medal and two second place trophies.

Karate is a big part of Bob's extra curricular activities. He practices about three to five hours each day and began the sport at the age of sixteen. "I finally made time for something I had always wanted to do," he said. Bob also adds that "Karate has taught me a greater self-discipline and a better way to react to situations of great fear."

Bob is currently a member of the National League, which enables him to qualify for the junior nationals. He is a blue belt and is looking forward to joining the karate team at the University of Colorado after he graduates from F.B.A.

fads

it's hip to be square

BY MISTI CUTSINGER

Subtle changes were made this year in the area of fads. A rebirth of an old favorite marked both guys' and girls' wardrobes as **ANYTHING DENIM** made a fashion comeback. Girls chose **GUESS OVERALLS** and guys pulled on **BLUE JEAN JACKETS** and rolled up their **BUTTON FLIES.**

Glances at students' "after school wardrobes" showed **STRAIGHT SKIRTS** and **LONG SWEATERS, ROPERS** and **REEBOK HIGH TOPS,** accented by **SILVER** jewelry, **IMITATION** brand-name **WATCHES, BOWS and LACE** and **PAISLEY SUSPENDERS.**

Hair styles varied, but the **BOZZ** haircut for guys and the **BOBB** for girls dominated the fashion scene.

TV:
Cosby Show
Moonlighting
Family Ties
Perfect Strangers
Growing Pains

ETCETERA:
Spud McKenzie
Compact Disks
Max Headroom
Vanna White
Suzuki Samari
Hyundai
Oprah Winfrey

MOVIES and MUSIC:
Top Gun
At This Moment
American Tail
Platoon
You Lost that Loving Feeling

GROUPS:
Beastie Boys
Run DMC
Boston
Alabama

Making the grade is no easy task when you're COPING WITH A CRISIS

BY KIM WILSON

The big ordeal — *RESEARCH PAPERS!!* — they're something that every high school student encounters at least one time during the year.

Some students' techniques for coping with the term paper crisis show as much (maybe more) creativity and originality as the final paper itself. Jocelyn Patton, junior, made the tedious task more fun by singing at the typewriter.

Senior Ashley DeBoard burned the midnight oil, but she wasn't alone, "I slept during the day — worked all night — and made my parents stay up to keep me awake."

Juniors Leigh Ann Wise and Dixie Barnett also worked around the clock. Leigh Ann typed all one long night, and Dixie recalls "I took No-Doze continually for four days."

"I wrote down four sources, used six, the two I didn't write down I plagiarized from. I passed!" — ROBERT BOURDENE, SENIOR.

"I actually got finished on time." —RAMON MONSIVAIZ, JUNIOR.

Not only did paper writers torture their brains, but their digestive systems also took a beating. Late night snacks ranged from egg rolls to warmed Coke, while some struggling authors stuck with the tried and true source of caffeine — coffee. After very little sleep juniors Keith Youngblood and Jason Petty even drank ketchup. "It was a dare," Jason said.

Research paper veterans often have war stories to tell. "I've been banned from the public library because they said I checked out a book about my topic that I've never seen before," relates Senior Heather Prellove.

"I worked about 2½ hours on my term paper. I used only Cliff Notes. I made a 65." — ROBERT LANIER, SENIOR.

After working at the SMU Library, juniors Jodilynn Brittain, Todd Young, Charles Pokladnik, Misti Cutsinger and teacher, Miss Fary, took a break for lunch during a power failure. "We ate by candlelight at the Egyptian. It was really wild," Todd said.

"Got to library, dumped out my bag, and began writing with no particular organization. I made an 89." — EMILE SEVADJIAN, JUNIOR.

Miata Cunningham, sophomore, recalls giving the rough draft to her typist. "She worked in a tanning booth, and she typed it there while all these wild and weird people kept walking through," she remembers.

Sophomore Anissa Garcia had to pay $5.00 to type her own paper at the public library. Freshman Jamie Berry lost more than money. "Someone stole all 50 notecards," she said.

Surrounded by her tools, Kim Wilson works well into the night on her Junior English paper about *The Old Man and the Sea.*

Getting it all together, Junior Leigh Ann Wise sorts her notecards before she begins writing.

A LESSON IN JUSTICE
witnessing a murder trial

BY SHARON RIFFE

Senior government students witnessed the closing arguments in the trial which led to the conviction of kenneth Wayne Thomas on Feb. 24.

Thomas, also known as "Mr. Clean," was accused of killed lawyer Fred Finch and his wife, Mildred, a math professor at El Centro College. He was also accused of buglarizing their South Dallas home during March of 1986.

During the arguments, prosecutors recounted what was called a "horror movie" directed, produced and starring Thomas.

Finch was stabbed more than 20 times in his bed and was sexually assaulted near or after death, according to the medical testimony. Mrs. Finch was found on the floor with about 80 stab wounds.

Witnessing a capital murder trial was a frightening experience for some seniors. "Being in the same room with a murderer and hearing the evidence of what he did was very scary," said Melissa Leonard.

Less than 20 feet from Thomas, students formed lasting impressions of the convicted killer. "He's really a psycho!" commented Jason Chalker. "After I saw the evidence of what he did to those people, I was ready for them to strap him down and fry him."

Laura Shanks concluded, "the guy was obviously guilty."

What's News
from the four corners of the world

Drug awareness hits nation following death of athletes

BY JENNIFER BLANTON

The deaths of basketball star, Len s of Maryland, and Don Rogers of Cleveland Browns, of cocaine overes focused the nation's attention on the dangerous drug.

Several media campaigns were designed to alert the public, especially high school students, about the hazards of drugs. Spokeswoman Nancy Reagan joined other celebrities urging teens to "Just say, 'No'."

Even more dangerous than cocaine is another illegal substance called "crack." An estimated one million Americans have tried crack in one form or another. Much stronger than cocaine and ranked higher in danger than heroin, crack is addictive in six to ten weeks.

The "crackdown on crack" introduced drug testing in both professional and college sports while emphasizing to the world the dangers of drugs.

Ponygate

BY THOMAS THOMPSON

David Stanley, a former linebacker at Southern Methodist Universi- stated that he had received cash payments while playing for the am on a special news report in November — the school denied the egations. And thus began the scandal known as Ponygate.

SMU, already serving the second in a three-year probation, had been ipped of all scholarships in 1986.

On February 25, the NCAA issued the death penalty to SMU — the hool is banned from having a football team in 1987 — but not before eries of confessions and resignations.

Among those who resigned from the university were President onald Shields; Bob Hitch, athletic director; and Coach Bobby Collins. Others who stepped forward to validate Stanley's claims were Albert ece, a tight end who had lived in a rent-free apartment and Governor ll Clements, who revealed that he and other members of SMU's ard of Governors approved the payments.

Results of the scandal include a decrease in giving, lower enrollment hich has caused school officials to lower admission standards) and ewed involvement by the church officials in running the university. annel 8 also received the Peabody Award in journalism for breaking e story.

IN SHORT:

- A high profile anti-drug campaign was launched across America — **JUST SAY, NO.**
- **NEW YORK METS** became baseball's champions.
- **FERGIE and ANDREW** were married at Westminister Abbey.
- **THE VOYAGER** successfully circled the globe.
- The **IRAN-SCAM** put President Reagan in the nation's doghouse.
- **LEN BIAS** died of a cocaine overdose.
- **ORAL ROBERTS** became a news item with his claim that God would take his life unless he raised $4 million.
- **JIM and TAMMY BAKER** left the PTL club because of a scandal involving an affair.
- Ex-President **FERDINAND MARCOS** left the Philippines to take up political asylum in Hawaii.
- A 10-year-old boy was taken **HOSTAGE AT DFW** airport for more than 12 hours.

The F.B.A. East Falcon Cheerleaders cheer their team on as they play Lakehill Prep.

The soccer team at the east campus gains the courage they need to face the second half.

"Pajama Day" at the east campus is enjoyed by seventh grader, Mark Pollock, and eighth graders Chris Smith and Trina Simpson.

EAST CAMPUS

Testing their steady hands Jason Vance and Summers Henderson dissect the frog

The History Club gets a chance to see how comfortable a tank really is.

The elementary choir performs for parents and teachers at the teacher appreciation luncheon.

Last campus students spend a fun-filled afternoon on a field trip.

Anita Chakmakjian and Call Chakmakjian, cousins, were chosen by their classmates as 8th grade Valentine sweethearts. They were honored at the February Valentine Banquet.

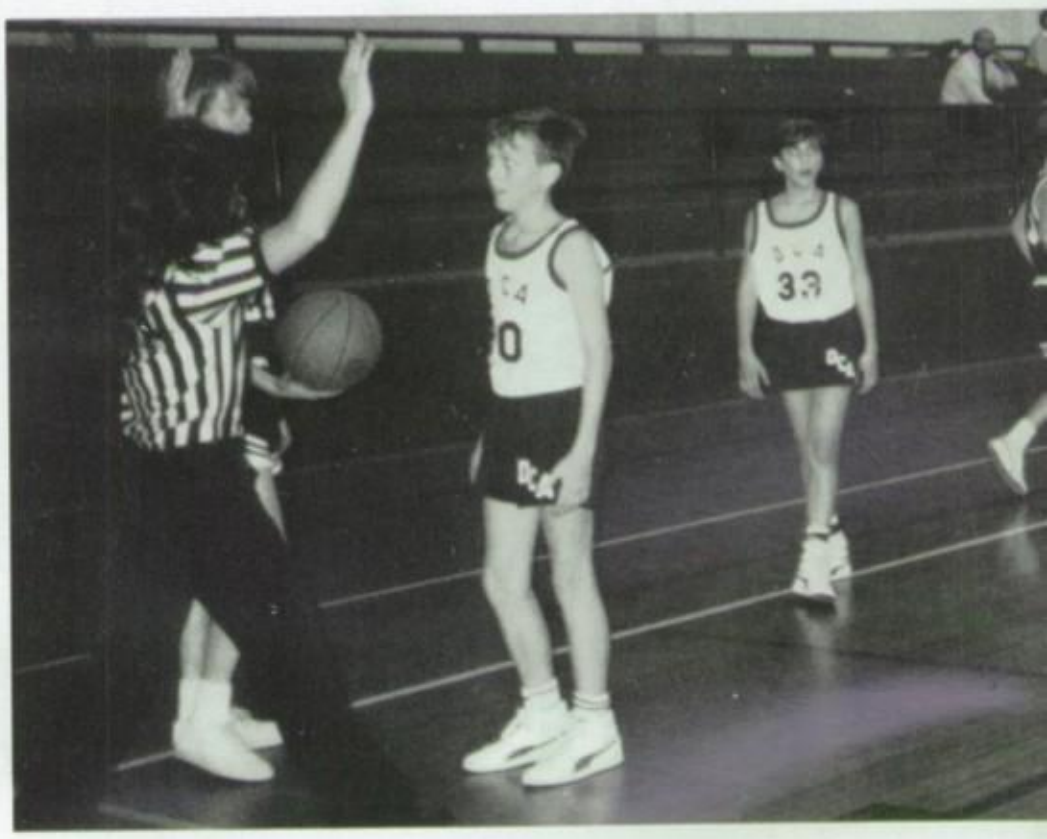
Shalini Zachakiah attempts to get a kiss from any eighth grade boy.

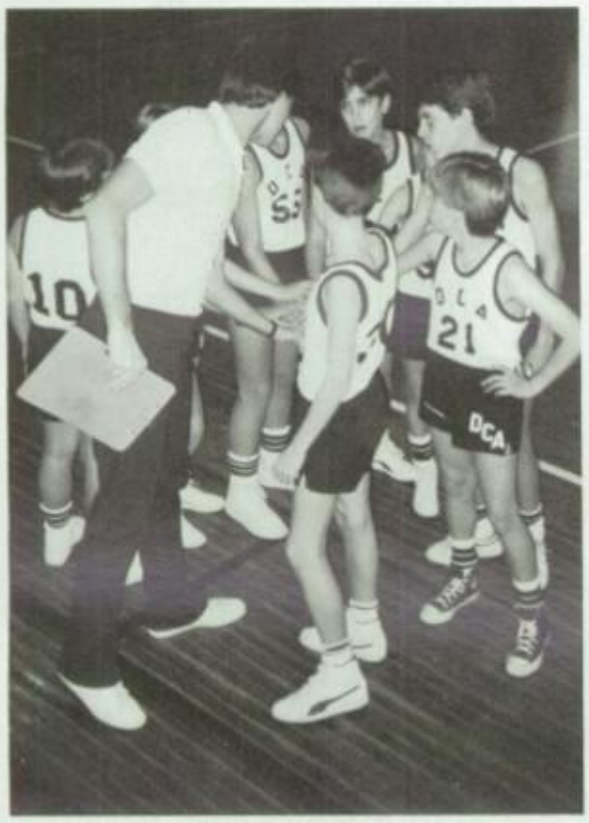
John Paul Northcutt, a 5th grader, receives onfield instructions during a soccer game.

Robin Millican and Valerie Jones practice their shoulder stand.

Sixth grade girls unsuccessfully attempt to become airborn on a field trip.

Shawn Davis and Carl Chakmakjian prepare their defensive strategy.





Coach Dwayne Richard and the team join together during a time out.

History instructor, Mr. Paul Richardson asks eighth grader Jonathan Oates' advice on table manners.

Mrs. Williams, the cheerleading sponsor, and Mrs. Darr, the principal show their enthusiasm during a basketball game.

Sixth grader Amanda Frederick relaxes on the bench with her water bottle after a long game.

Coach Dwain Richert gives his team a half-time pep talk during the basketball game against Our Redeemer Lutheran.

Cheerleaders Shalini Zachariah and Robin Millican keep the spirit high at the boys' games.

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ACTIVITIES

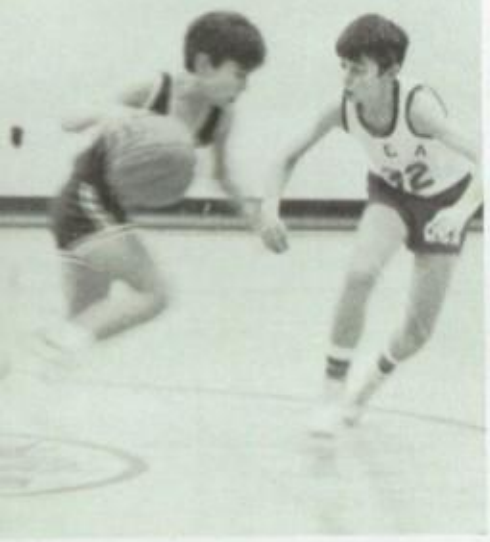
Boy's Soccer Team
Row 1: John Paul Northcutt, Gabriel Valdez, Matthew Grant, Summers Henderson, Row 2: Coach Dwain Richart, Jay Zeiler, Stephen Chakmakjian, Mark Pollock, Rusty Hendricks, Clay Renerncet. Row 3: Carl Chakmakjian, Jason Vance, Chris Smith, Shawn Davis.

Awaiting the start of the game, **Coach Dwain Richart** prepares his team for a winning effort.

Jason Vance and **Matthew Grant** come up to help block the ball.

Matthew Grant goes in for the goal.

Best efforts mark boys' final sports season



teams enjoy competition

Even though the season was not the best, both the soccer and the basketball teams put forth a winning effort. Matt Grant who was on the soccer team feels the best game was against Eastlake, because they won; while Jason Vance feels he did his best against Our Redeemer, even though they lost. The basketball team had a little better season and Shawn Davis enjoyed the game against Zion because "they are our rivals."

Stephen Chakmakjian plays defense.

Coach Dwain Richart gives the team another pep talk.

Boys' Basketball Team
Row 1: Summers Henderson, Mark Pollock, Stephen Chakmakjian, David Hayes; **Row 2:** Matthew Cowart, Jonathan Oates, Carl Chakmakjian, Shawn Davis, Coach Dwain Richart.

Sponsor Janet Williams gives instructions while the girls take a much needed break.

Step-lock-tighten, Shaline Zachariah stands firm and shows her winning smile.

Getting ready to show their stuff, Valerie Jones, Debra Burkett, Arden Sterling, and Robin Millican think through their cheers.

Lifting school spirits during halftime, East Campus Cheerleaders raise cheerleading to new heights.

ast Campus Cheerleaders: **Front From Left:** Debra Burkett, haline Zachariah, **Middle:** Arden Sterling, Robin Millican, Tracee ones, Top: Anita Chakmakjian, and Valerie Jones.

Girls cheer final season

The Last Hurrah!

Seven cheerleaders kept school spirits up for the final year of East Campus athletics. "They were a real spirited loving squad with a lot of enthusiasm," remembers their sponsor Janet Williams. "I had all of them since the first year I taught. It was fun to watch them grow," she added.

Working hard throughout the school year, the girls cheered at both basketball and soccer games.

Sports provide work and fun

A season of memories.

Struggling through a losing season. East Campus girl's athletics found hard work doesn't always pay off. "It was a blast," said Robin Millican. "We didn't always win, but we sure had fun."

Girl's basketball ended the year with a 1-9 season. Winning only one game against Lakehill.

Softball had a ten game season. Lisa Shiels remembers her favorite game. "It was against Lakehill. I remember it so much because it was freezing cold."

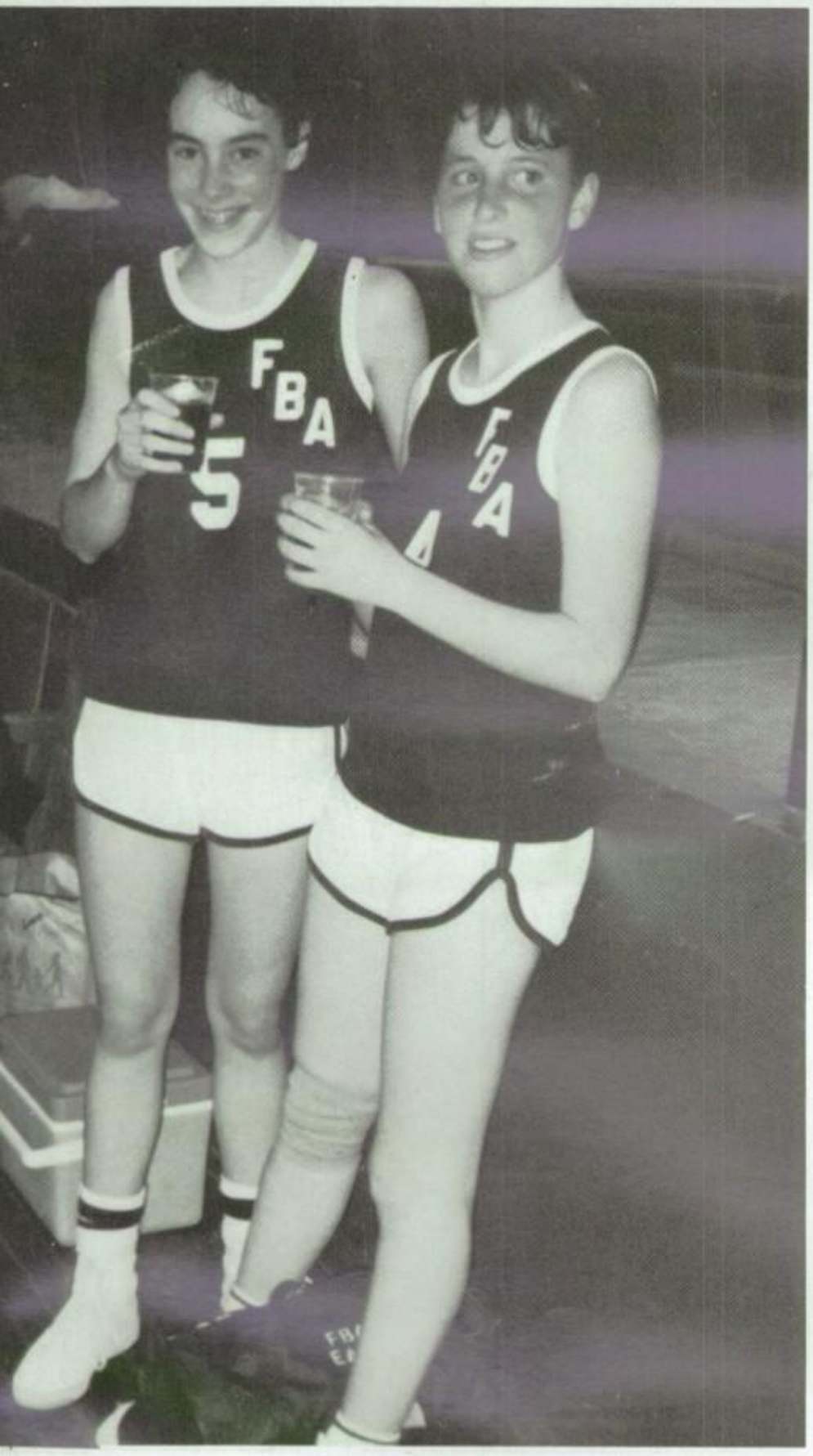
Batter up, Shelly Inzer awaits a better pitch.

While sucking on her water bottle, Amanda Fredericks makes Rebekah Darwin laugh.

East Campus Girl's Basketball: *Row 1:* Lisa Shiels, Robin Millican, Rebekah Darwin, *Row 2:* Anita Chakmakjian, Shawn Francis, Rebekah Ratledge.

Watching the game from the sidelines, Robin Millican takes a break.

East Campus Softball: *Row 1:* Shelly Inzer, Annie Inzer, Annie Mellville, Wendi Gibbs, *Row 2:* Arden Sterling, Robin Millican, Lisa Shiels, *Row 3:* Anita Chakmakjian, Trina Simpson, Valerie Jones, Brandi McClure.



At the end of the game Coach Carol Ramey totals up the stats and listens while Trina Simpson recounts one of her favorite plays.

After a hard game, Lisa Shiels, Rebekah Ratledge, and Anita Chakmakjian relax with a cold drink.

Summers Henderson and David Hayes await their next turn at bat.

The Baseball Team: **Row 1, From Left:** Summers Henderson, Rusty Hendricks, Cabriel Valdez, David Hayes. **Row 2,** Mark Pollock, Nian Newsom, Steven Chakmakjian, Curtis Smith, Jason Vance, Carl Chakmakjian, Shawn Davis, and Dwain Richert.

Waiting for the out, Shawn Davis looks to the pitcher for the catch.

Looking for a homerun, Rusty Hendricks takes a swing.

Teams lay the groundwork by . . .

Focusing on the future

Playing ten games, both the volleyball and baseball teams emphasized the basics as they prepared for high school athletics.

Success had to be measured in skills learned as both teams ended the season with no wins.

Scooping up a grounder, Jason Vance heads to first base for the out.

The Volleyball Team: **Row 1, From Left:** Amanda Fredericks, Annie Mellvile. **Row 2,** Wendi Gibbs, Lisa Shiels, Niki Newsom.

Cheering from the on deck circle, Mark Pollock encourages his teammate at bat.

Loving Voices Choir: **Front Row,** Laura Villa, Laura Lewis, Shelby Francis, Brooke Millican, Carolyn Roth, Ashley Fredericks, Jennifer Rees, Anita Zachariah. **Second Row,** Benjamin Nelson, Todd Nigerville, Amy Gamadia, Michael Jordon, Peter Warren, Russell Olds, Stephen Tan, Christine Tan, Jeff Jordon, Michelle Giles, Juliana Bennett. **Back Row,** Evelyn O'Neal, Kendra Keierleber, Shannon Hutcheson, Jay Zeller, Jonathan Roth, Kim Ferguson, Jason Cheshire, Heather Faulkner, Kristie Richardson, Christine Cannon.

Service oriented clubs have full itineraries

Under the direction of Theresa Luen, the Loving Voices Choir, an elementary choir, and the seventh grade girls ensemble have made several memorable performances this year. Both groups sang at the annual Christmas Program and the Awards Banquet. The Loving Voices Choir also sang for the Teacher Appreciation Luncheon and for the Parent Service Organization Meetings. The Seventh Grade Girls Ensemble sang for several chapels.

The Science Club, sponsored by Mr. Melville, is mainly is charge of caring for the various living things, such as the gerbils, birds and plants, that exist in the science room. Weekly meetings are held to distribute these responsibilities. The Science Club has visited several museums and took a trip to the McDonald Observatory, Fort Davis and Big Bend National Park at the end of the year.

Science Club: **Front Row,** Matthew Grant, Steven Chakmakjian, Carrie Inzer, Shelly Inzer. **Second Row,** Michael Wilson, Marcy Angel, Mark Pollock, Robin Millican, Annie Mellville. **Back Row,** Mr. Melville, Curtis Brazil, Carl Chakmakjian, Matthew Young, Anita Chakmakjian, Shawna Francis, Nian Newsome.

Nian Newsome and Shelly Inzer play on an army tank at the Pate Museum of Transportation in Fort Worth on a Science Club field trip.

Seventh Grade Girls Ensemble: Cynthia Barker, Anne Barnard, Tracie Tyler, Lisa Shiels, Shelly Inzer, Robin Millican, Arden Sterling, Sarah Bennett.

Shalini Zachariah and Shawna Francis take pictures of the sights from a trolley on the Science Club trip to Eureka Springs, Arkansas.

Carolyn Roth looks on as Mrs. McLarry lights the candles on the cupcakes for the fourth graders.

Carl Chakmakjian walks down a hill at the Science Club field trip to Fort Washitah.

Shalini Zachariah lets everyone know that an eighth grader's life is not easy.

Being able to wear "normal" clothes makes the Christmas Party even more enjoyable for Lisa Shiels.

The fifth graders eat pizza at Christmas as they are goofing off again.

The Science Club poses for a picture while on a field trip.

The eighth grade guys take time out of the busy trip schedule to get a coke.

Finally on the road again to Dallas, Mr. Richardson catches up on some much-needed sleep.

Eighth grade goes East! — to Mississippi

By: Anita and Carl Chakmakjian — eighth grade

Vicksburg! What the eighth grade had anticipated so long finally came. April had come and the class loaded vans for the long drive to Vicksburg, Mississippi. Everyone had a wonderful time. The trip included tours of the Vicksburg battlefield, the Melrose House, the Natchez Trace and the Water Experimental Station. There was also plenty of time for fellowship and devotion that brought the class closer together.

The first graders reluctantly go back to class after morning recess with Miss Rame

As Mrs. Cheshire and Laura Villa look on, Daniel Hale opens a Christmas gift.

Mrs. Williams and her husband enjoy the program at the teacher appreciation luncheon.

Together as always, Robin Millican and Mark Pollock strike a pose for the camera.

As she prepares to begin class, Robin Millican flashes one of those famous cheerleading smiles.

Eighth graders Shawna Francis, Tracee Jones, Shalini Zachariah and Debra Burkett are forever friends.

Mrs. Nigerville looks on as Mrs. Cheshire accepts the "Teacher of the Year" award.

While on a field trip, parents and students get to spend time together.

Some eighth graders and their sponsors have fun as they admire the beauty of the Vicksburg battlefield.

As they tour the Melrose home, the eighth graders learn about life before and during Civil War times.

The class gets to see a working model of Niagara Falls at the Water Experimental Station.

Debra Burkett, Shalini Zachariah and Shawna Francis pose on a cannon at the sight of the Civil War battle at Vicksburg.

Mr. Richardson gives his middle school students a test on their likelihood of getting married.

Billy Jack Christy searches for answers for his group's Bible worksheets in Mr. Richardson's class.

EAST

PEOPLE

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east campus

East Campus Faculty

Mrs. Sonya Darr
Principal

Mr. John Caldwell
Administrative Assistant

Mr. Paul Richardson
Bible, History

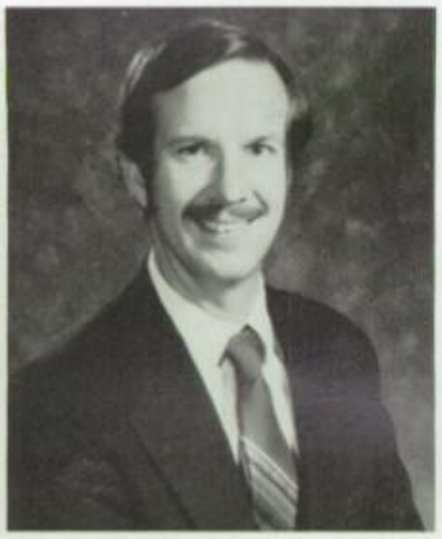
Mr. Richardson, Miss Luen, and Mrs. McCune help themselves to the food provided at the Teacher Appreciation Luncheon.

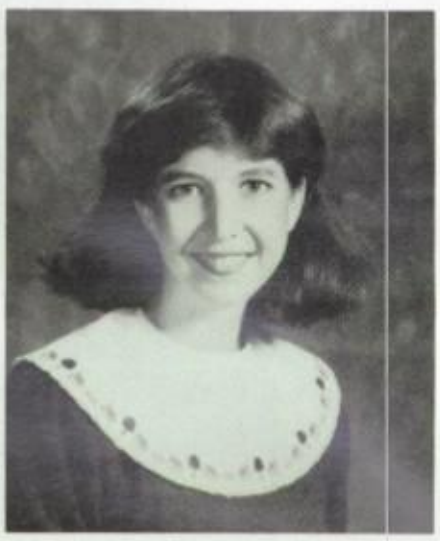
Mr. Lively and Dwain Richert converse during the Teacher Appreciation Luncheon.

Miss Teresa Luen
Music

Mrs. JoAnn Christy
Nurse

Mr. Arthur Kibble
Custodian





Mr. Wayne Melville
Science, Math

Mrs. Emily Rogers
English, Bible

Mrs. Janet Williams
Art, Cheerleading

East Campus faculty celebrate Valentines Day

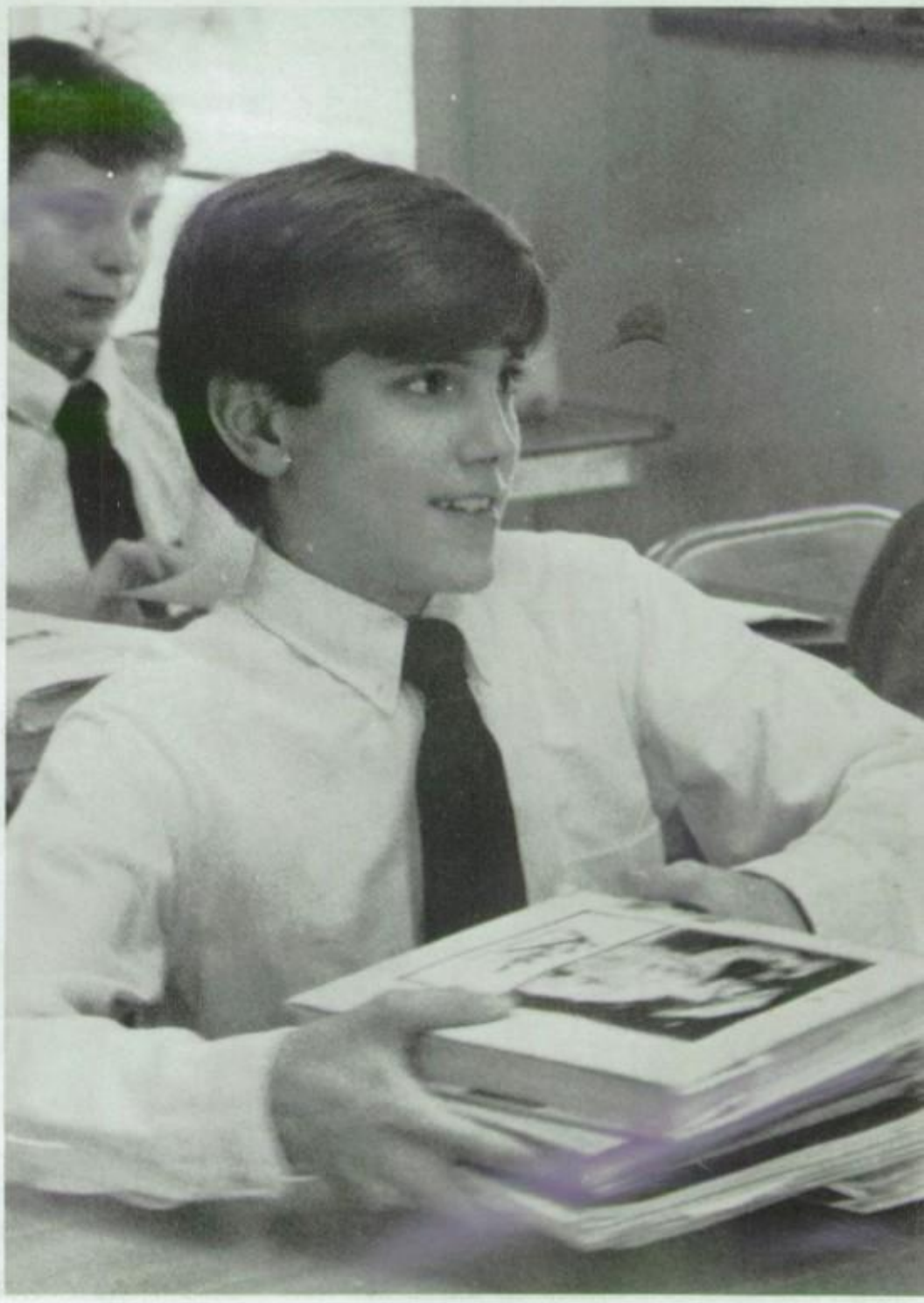
Having a blast on the field trip, Mr. Melville takes his science club to the Rosalie House

Miss Carol Ramey
P.E., Coach

Mr. Dwain Richert
P.E., Coach

Curtis Brazil
Debra Burkett
Anita Chakmakjian
Carl Chakmakjian

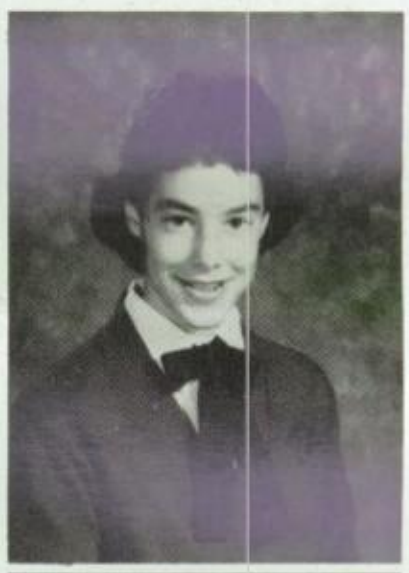
Mark Elmore
Shawna Francis
Tracee Jones
Valerie Jones



Mark Elmore listens to the teacher give an important lecture.
Carl Chakmakjian listens as the teacher gives their homework assignment as the bell rings.
Caryn Utley listens carefully to the teacher's instructions . . .

EIGHTH GRADE

Varonica Rodriquez listens and takes notes.
Valerie Jones gives a nonchalant smile for the camera.
Shalini Zachariah studies hard for an upcoming test.



Niki Newsom
Tera Northcutt
Jonathan Oates
Rebekah Ratledge

Veronica Rodriguez
Geoffrey Shofner
Caryn Utley
Shalini Zachariah

Cynthia Barker
Anne Barnard
Sara Bennett
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Shawn Davis

Summers Henderson
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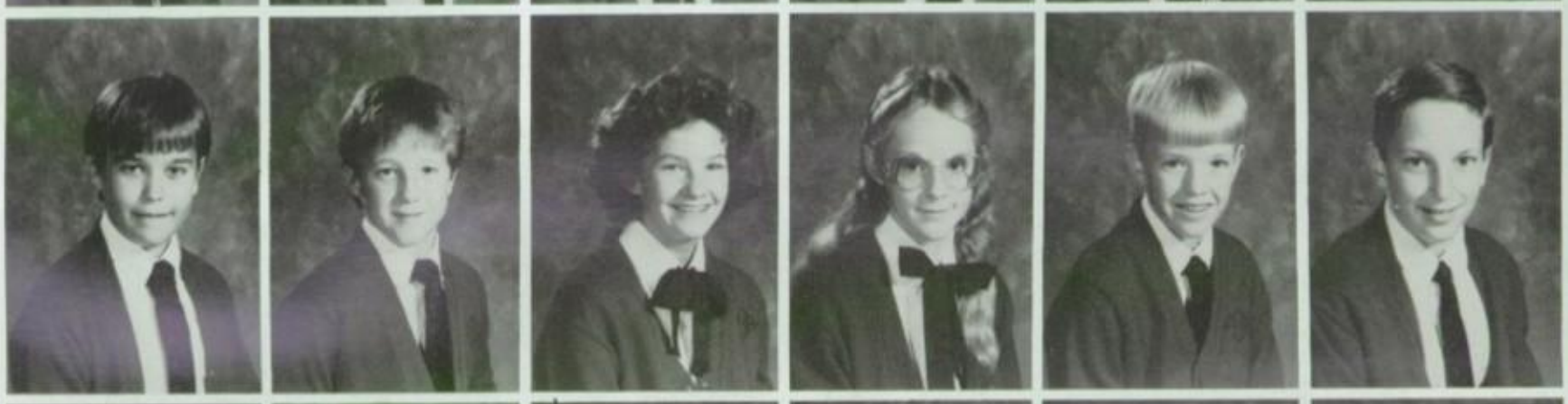
Diedre Hubacek
Shelly Inzer
David Lemke
Jeremy Marquis



Robin Millican
Mark Pollock
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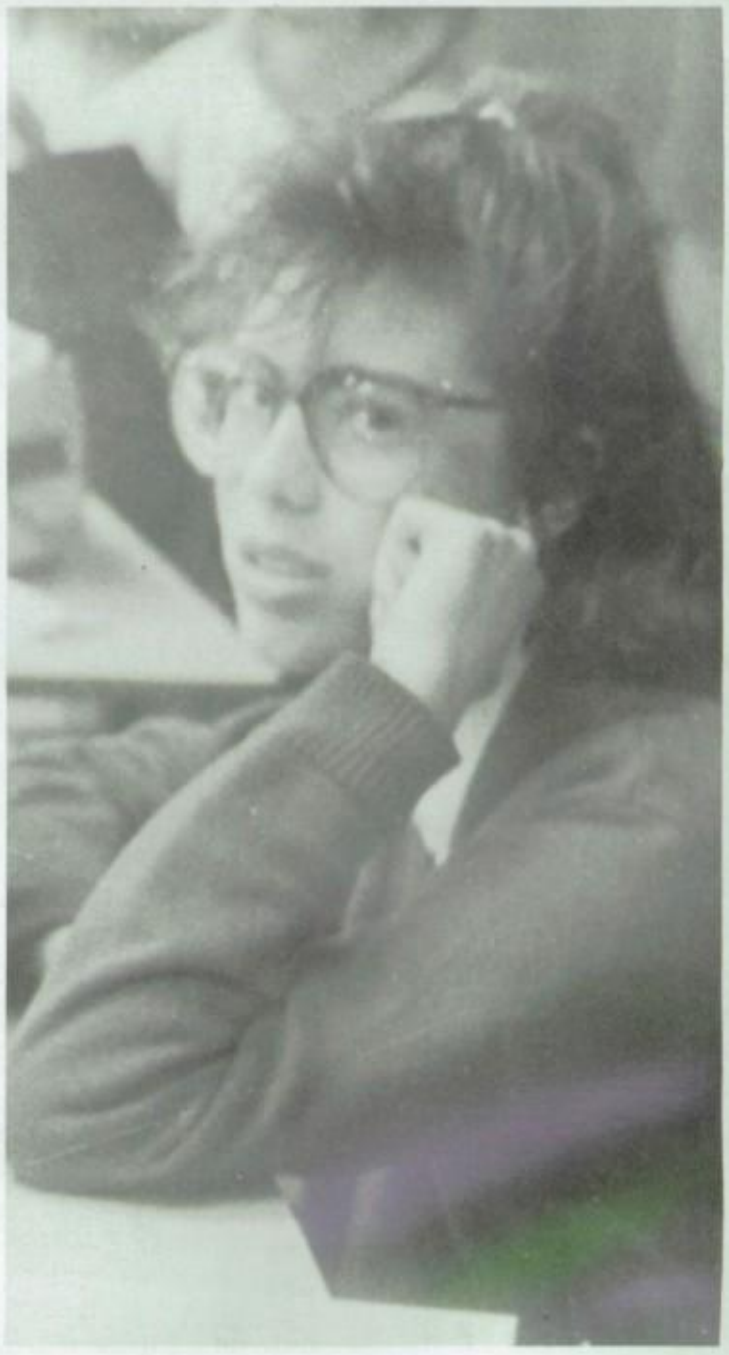
Jason Vance

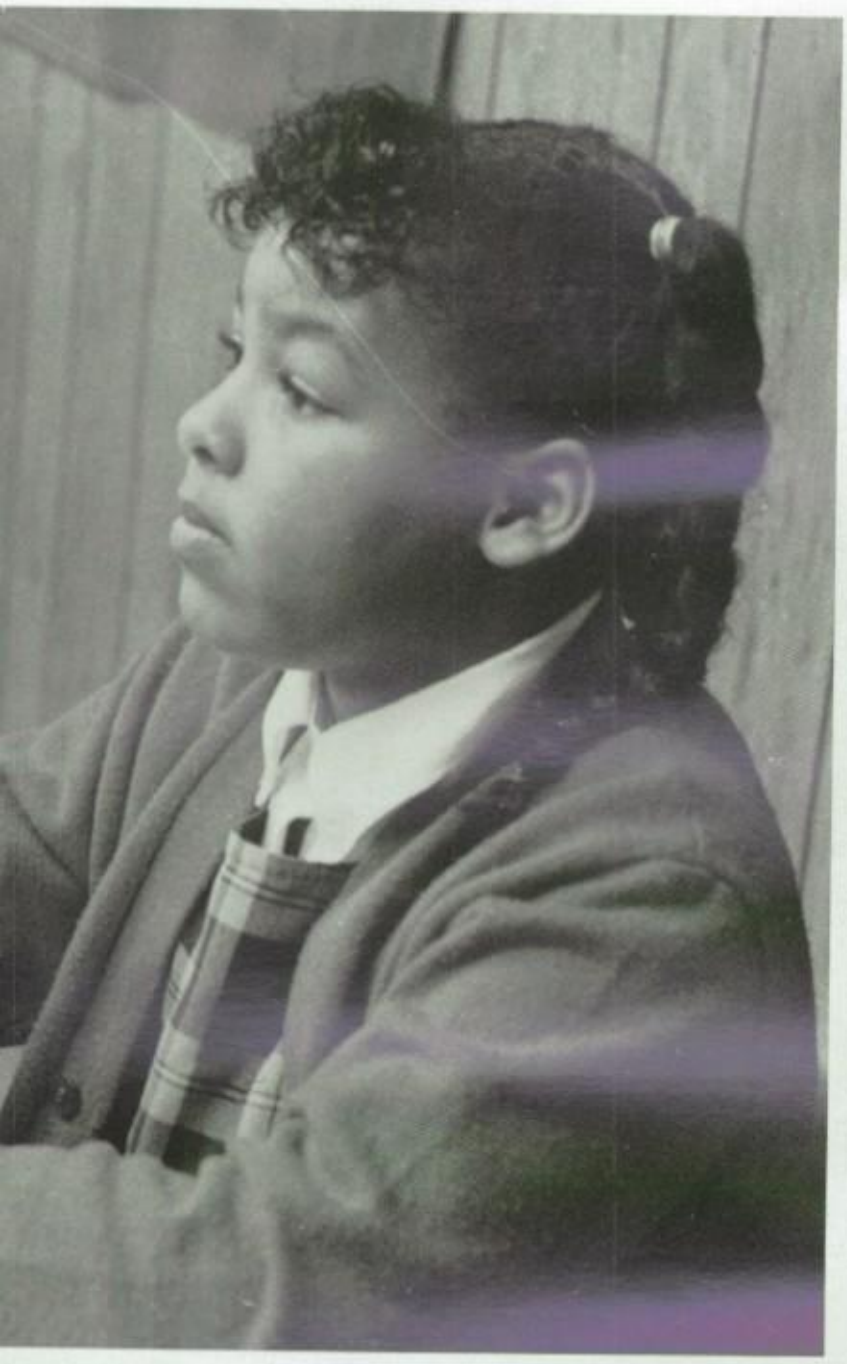
Diedre Hubacek smiles because there is no homework.

Tracy Tyler doesn't want her picture snapped.

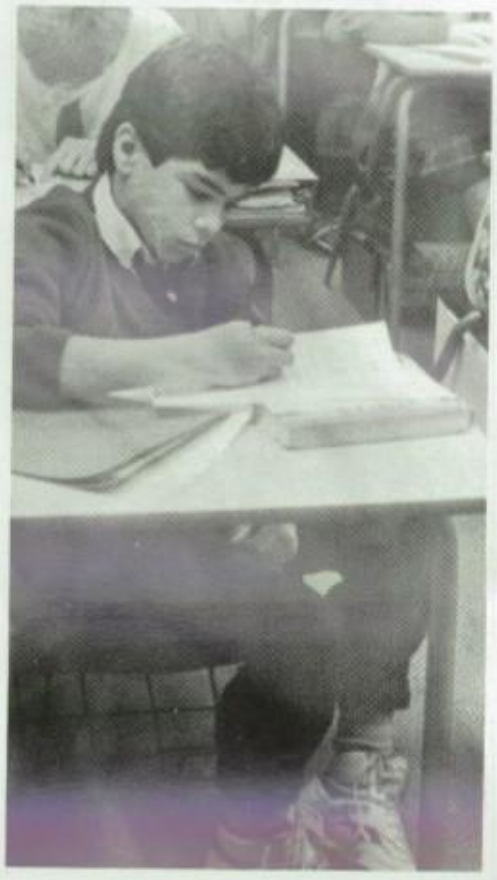


SEVENTH GRADE

SIXTH GRADE



Wendy Gibbs watches and listens as the teacher explains what to do next.



Gabriel Valdez takes a make-up test.

Not Available For Pictures:
Jack Carter, Matthew Cowart, Brandee McClure, Brannan McClure.

Marci Angel

Alison Brazil
Stephen Chakmakjian
Adam Corley
Rebekah Darwin
Laura Elmore
Amanda Fredrick

Wendi Gibbs
Matthew Grant
David Hayes
Carrie Inzer
Annie Melville
Nian Newsom

Rebecca Oates
Cathey Raymond
Clay Rinderknecht
Trina Simpson
Gabriel Valdez
Michael Wilson

Mrs. Dorothy Cole

Leigh Cannon

Jason Cheshire

Heather Faulkner

Kimberly Ferguson

Michelle Giles

Jeff Jordan

Steven Lewis

John Paul Northcutt

Jennifer Rees

Kristie Richardson

Jonathan Roth

Christine Tan

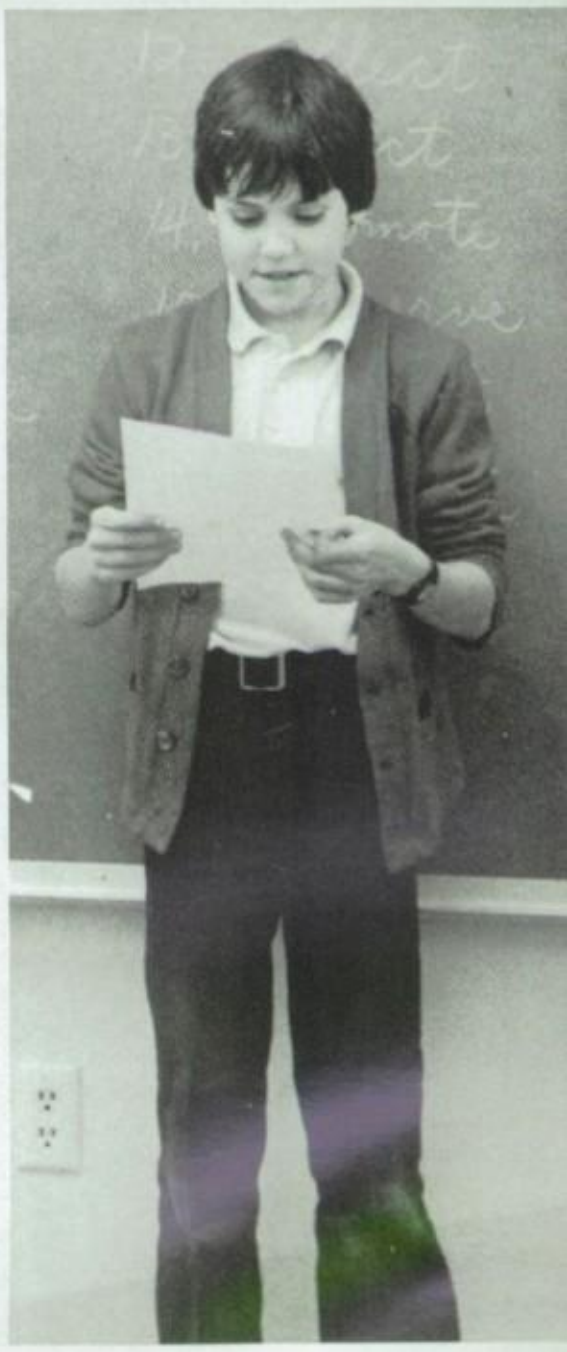
Jesse Vaughn

Robert Wright

Anita Zachariah

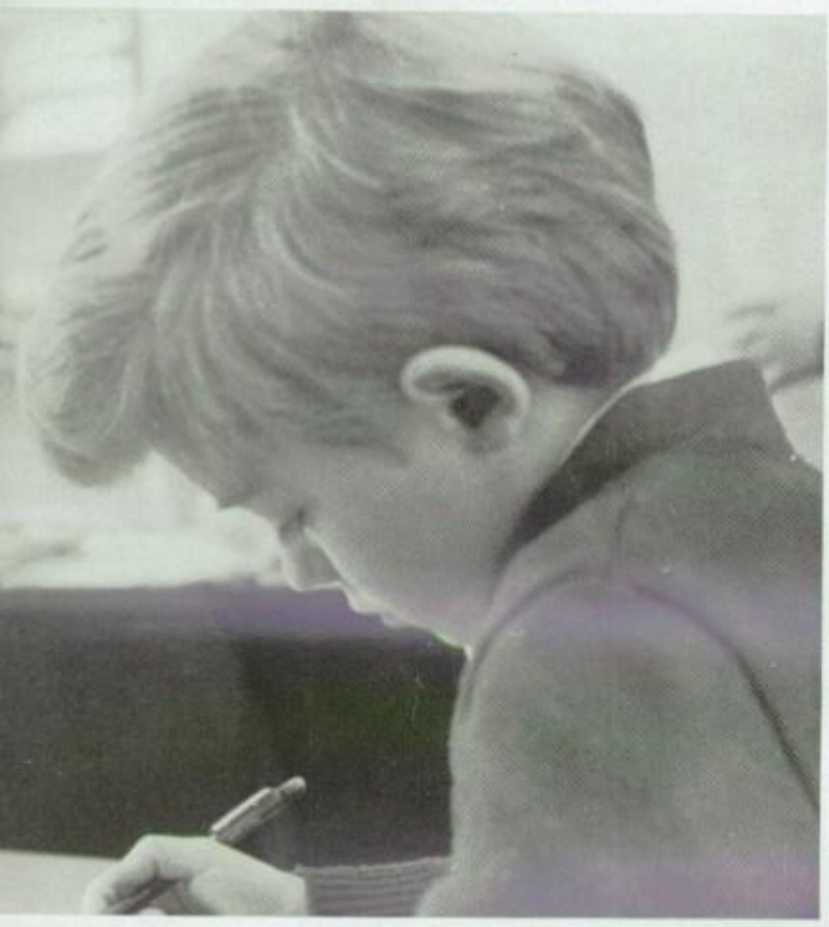
Jay Zeller

The class prepares for a test as Mrs. Cole watches them study. Jason Cheshire gives an oral report in front of his classmates.



FIFTH GRADE

FOURTH GRADE



Amanda Fredrick and Stephen Tan work diligently and quietly on their assignments.

Russell Olds thinks hard about the answer for a test.

Carolyn Roth doesn't quite understand how to complete her assignment.

Mrs. Beth Gangel
Perry Angel
Juliana Bennett
Daniel Darwin
Ashley Fredrick
Michael Grant

Shannon Hutcheson
Zachary Lemke
Joel McCune
Alan McLarry
Russell Olds
Carolyn Roth

Aaron Streett
Stephen Tan
Peter Warrenn
Brian Young

Mrs. Nancy Cheshire

Ana Cotley

Shelby Francis

Amee Gamadia

Daniel Hill

Joshua Hubacek

Michael Jordan

Kendra Keierleber

Stinson Lesley

Laura Lewis

Jonathan Marquis

Brooke Millican

Dawn Moore

Benjamin Nelson

Todd Nigreville

Evelyn O'Neal

Ryan Preston

Adam Ramirez

Susan Raymond

Matthew Tom

Laura Villa

Ryan Preston works diligently on an assignment.

Dawn Moore works hard on an assignment.

THIRD GRADE

SECOND GRADE

William Eargle gives a big smile to the camera.

Heather Walker listens attentively as the teacher gives instructions.

Mrs. Jan McCune
Trey Albright
Ellen Bennett
Ashley Burkley
Mark Casner
Charlie Clinton

Rachel Darwin
Nathan Dawson
William Eargle
Kyle Faulkner
Lauren Glosup
Eliet Henderson

Heather Hendrix
Bryce Kennedy
Cara Kimrey
Matthew Miller
Leslie Post
John Seaman

Tripp Stanford
Daniel Streett
Leslie Tillman
Sara Vaughn
Heather Walker
Stephen West

Mrs. Linda Northcutt

Quadrian Banks

Geoffrey Border

Chris Brunner

Brandon Cooley

Erica Emrick

Tracy Ferguson

Kristin Gerber

Heath Hines

Jenny Lindquist

Kate McAdams

Christi McCune

Jason Owen

Joshua Pritchard

Paul Shehadeh

Abby Williams

Gavin Young

Tracy Ferguson daydreams how nice it will be when summer comes.

Quadrian Banks whispers to his friends some hot new gossip.

FIRST GRADE

KINDERGARTEN

Michael Schooley listens to the tape of *Sleeping Beauty* and attempts to read along.

Paul Edwards tries to help his classmates clean up the room.

Mrs. Betsy Harris
Jake Box
Allison Cash
Angela Eddington

Paul Edwards
Isabel Ghobrial
Matthew Helwig
Robbie Hicks

Tim Hill
Lindsey Kennedy
Ricky Lee
Melissa Long
Amber Pettit
Rachel Richardson

Michael Schooley
Andrew Streett
Ashley Wadlow
Willy Walker
Wendy Walters
Bret Williams

SENIOR ADS

Made possible by the love and support of many senior parents, this section salutes the seniors of 1987.

We congratulate the seniors as they march to higher grounds.

Best Wishes,
The Yearbook Staff

CONGRATULATIONS P.J.

We Love You,
Doyle, Mother,
Arden, Dawn,
Nana, and
Aunt Shawnee.

Kelli Allen

Your faith in the Lord is reflected in your success.

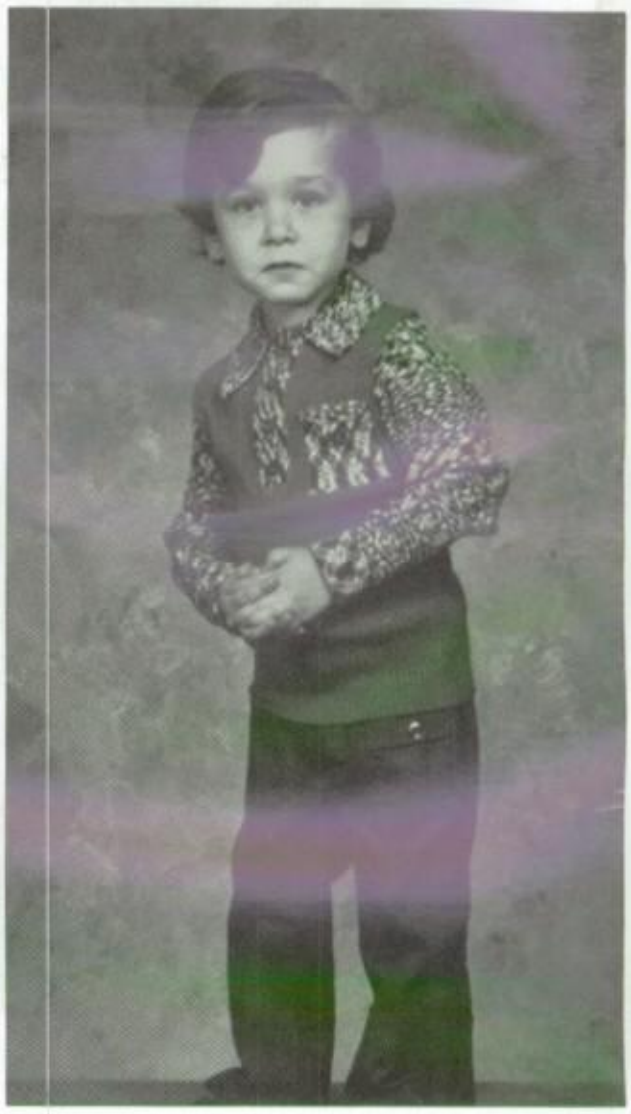
We Love You, Dad, Mom, Kirk and Kassi

We thank God for our Tinkerbell.

Congratulations JONI

We love you, Mom and Dad

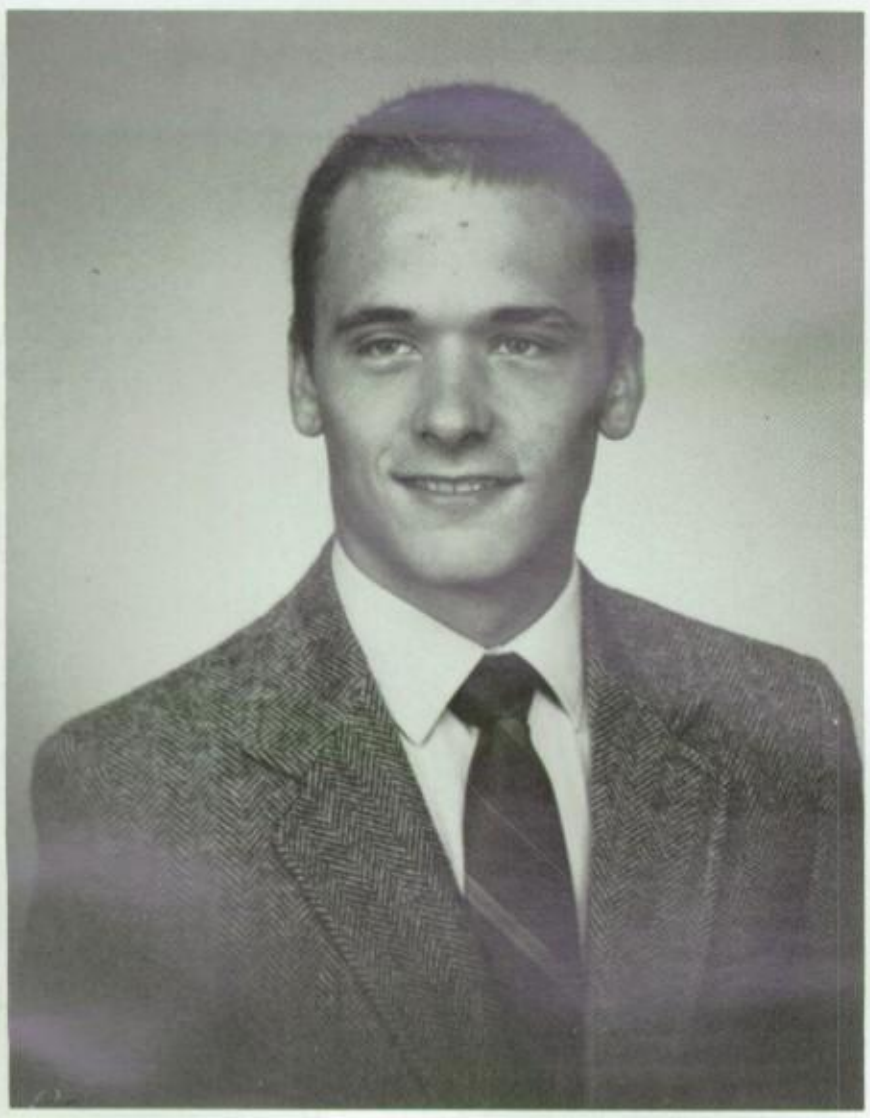
The Preacher??



Let no man despise thy youth; But be thou an example of the B believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.

I Timothy 4:10

CONGRATULATIONS!

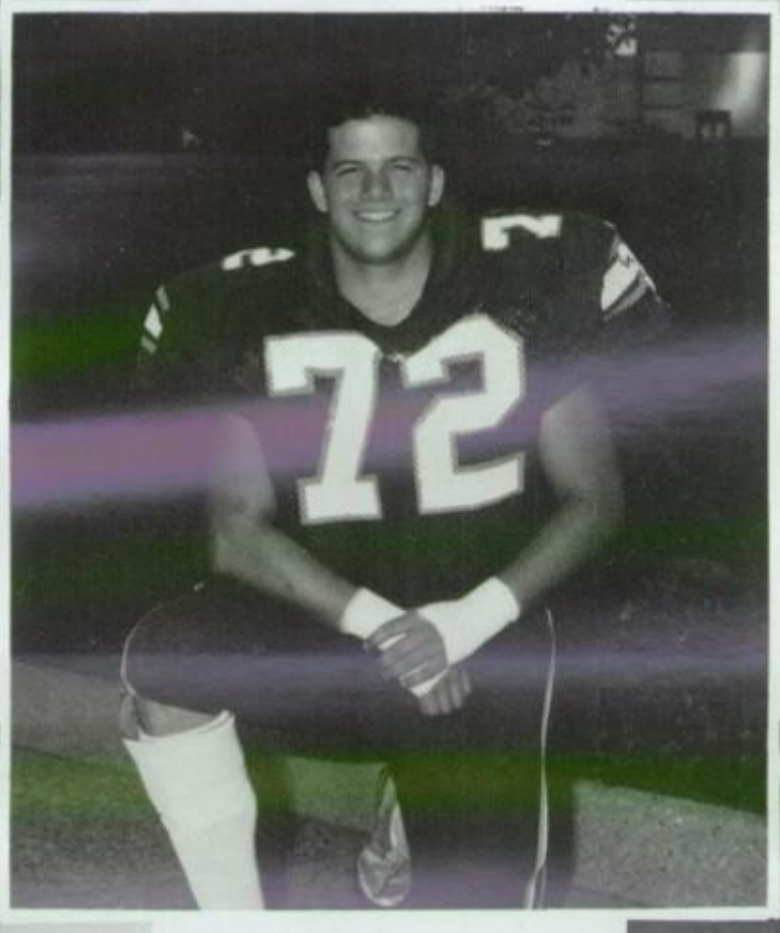


Robert,
As you grow into manhood, think of our times together and *REMEMBER* the love we hold in our hearts for you.

Rick, Mother and Jennifer

SENIOR '87

CONGRATULATIONS



To a very special young man who continues to bring great joy and happiness to our lives.

Love, Mom and Dad

CONGRATULATIONS LAURI BETH KOVAN

What a joy and a blessing to have such a special daughter! We love you! Mother, Dad, and Andy

CONGRATULATIONS DANNY!

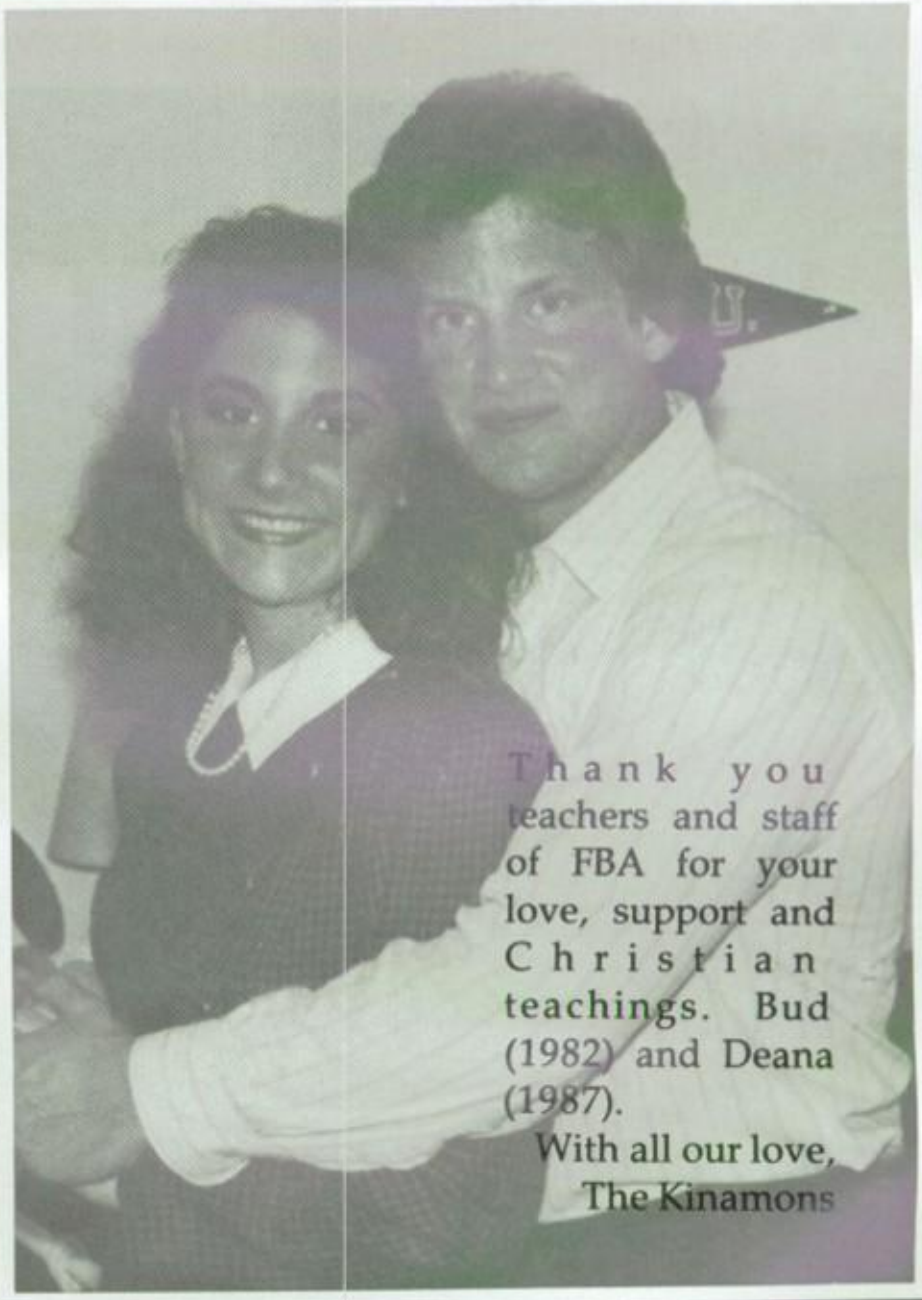
from your number one fans!

Mom and Dad

Congratulations #22

"For through the Law I died to the Law, that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me, and delivered Himself up for me." Galatians 2:19-20

LOVE,
MOM &
DAD



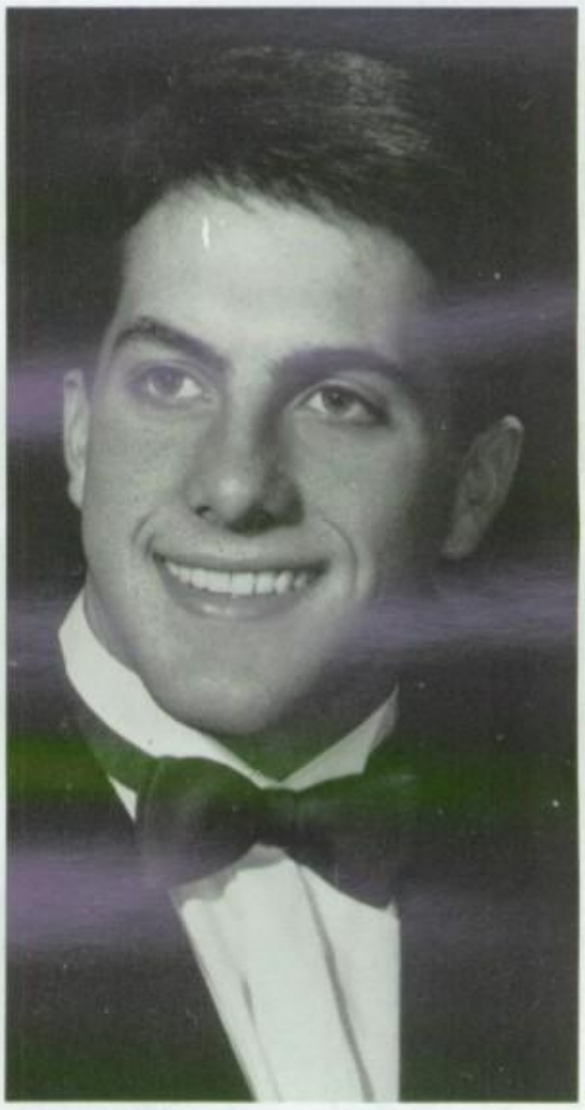
Thank you teachers and staff of FBA for your love, support and Christian teachings. Bud (1982) and Deana (1987).

With all our love,
The Kinamons

CONGRATULATIONS SHARON!

We're thankful for the joy and blessings of your first 18 years and ever more excited about your future. Follow the Lord, "For the Lord God is a sun and shield; The Lord gives grace and glory; No good thing does He withhold from those who walk uprightly." Psalms 84:11

Much Love,
Mom and Dad



SHARON RIFE

ANDREW MEMBRY

CONGRATULATIONS ANDREW!

"Only fear the Lord and serve Him in truth with all your heart; for consider what great things He has done for you." 1 Samuel 12:24

We Love You,
Mama and Jack

Congratulations

LAURA

We Love You; you are a complete joy to us!

Mother and Daddy

"This is the day the Lord hath made . . . Rejoice and be glad in it!"

We are so proud of you, PAUL!

Mom, Ed, Gussie, Billie, & all

congratulations

WE ALL LOVE YOU GARY DON

Ginger, Don, Billy, Jason, Vint, Christy, Donny & Robin

"But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run and not be weary; and they shall walk and not faint." ***Isaiah 40:31***

CATHY,

You're a gem. With your glowing personality and your sparkling smile, you will make it to the top.

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not unto your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him and he shall direct your paths."

LOVE, MOM, DAD & MARTHA

CONGRATULATIONS

WE LOVE YOU

Congratulations Amy

MOM DAD & ANDY

Keep that pretty smile and sweet spirit and you will always do well.

We Love You, Mom, Dad, & Tami

CONGRATULATIONS

LORI

We love you and want you to know you have always made us very proud!

Good Luck,
Mom, Joe and
Jamie

"Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths."

Proverbs 3:5-6

CHRIS '87

GOOD
LUCK
CHRIS

WE
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YOU

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&
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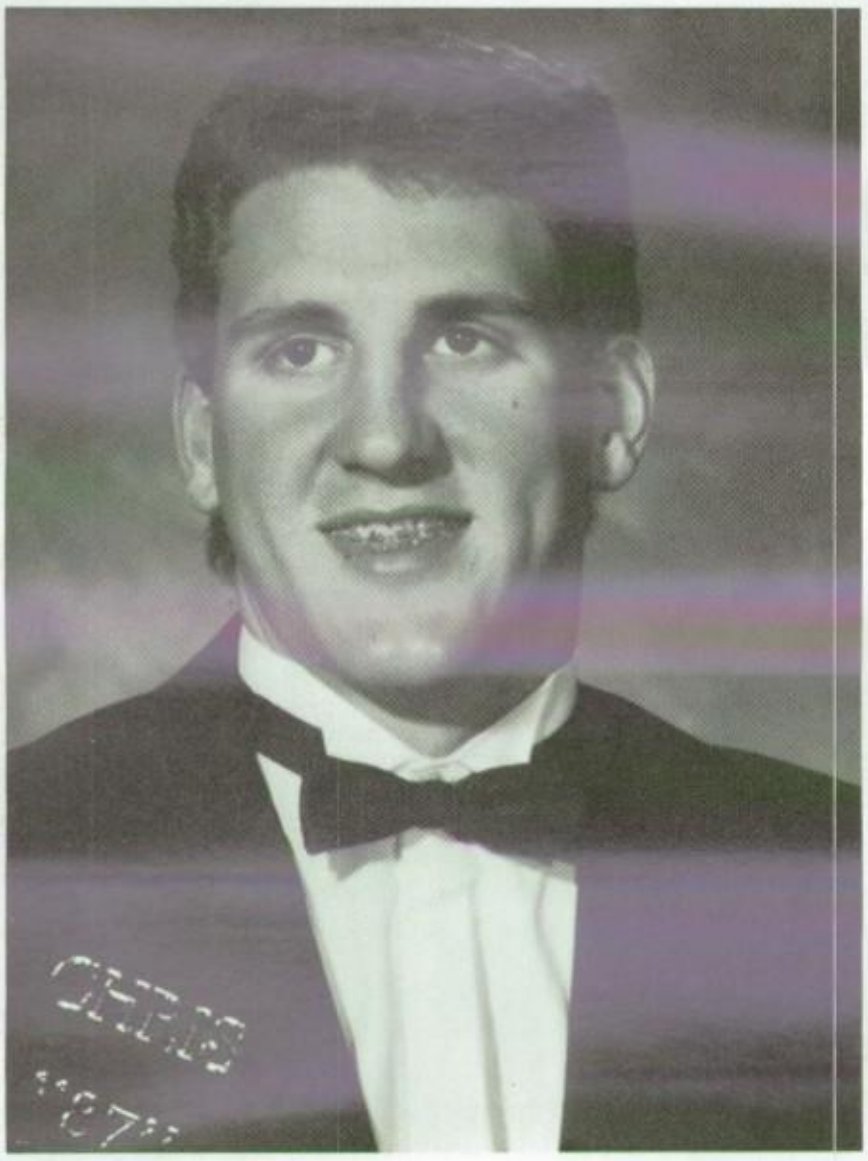


"My son, if you will receive my words and treasure up my commandments with you, making your ear attentive to skillful and godly wisdom, and inclining and directing your heart and mind to understanding — Then you will understand the reverent and worshipful fear of the Lord and find knowledge of God. For the Lord gives skillful and godly wisdom; from His mouth come knowledge and understanding."

Proverbs 2:1,2,5,6

We are proud of you!

"I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth."
3 John 4

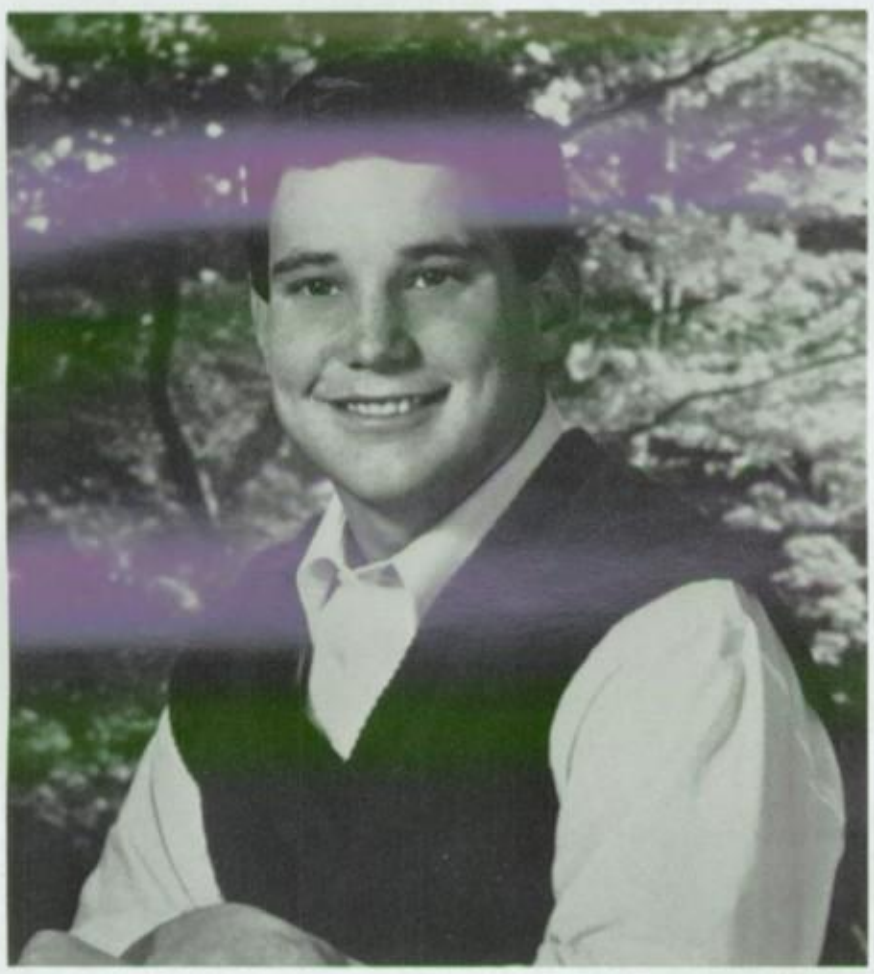
CONGRATULATIONS ANDREW

"Take time to laugh — it is the music of the heart."

MOM & DAD

You have brought great joy and love.

MOM & DAD



We have sought the best for you, and you have made us glad. Aim high, seek God's will and He will reward you with joy.

ASHLEY DeBOARD

Senior
Honor Student
Track Star
Student Council
President
Devoted
Daughter
Child of God
WE
LOVE YOU,
Dad and Mom

"In all thy ways acknowledge Him and He shall direct thy paths."

Proverbs 3:6

Congratulations
and
Best Wishes
as you plan your future
Love,
Mom and Dad

CONGRATULATIONS

LANCE

Thank you, Lance, for all the joy and happiness you have given us through the years and for "walking in a manner worthy of the Lord." You are truly a blessing from God.

Love,
Mom and Dad

"... that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding; So that you may walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, to please Him in all respects, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God."

Colossians 1:9b-10

CONGRATULATIONS SHELLY!

You are the joy of our lives.

Love,
Mom and Dad

Congratulations

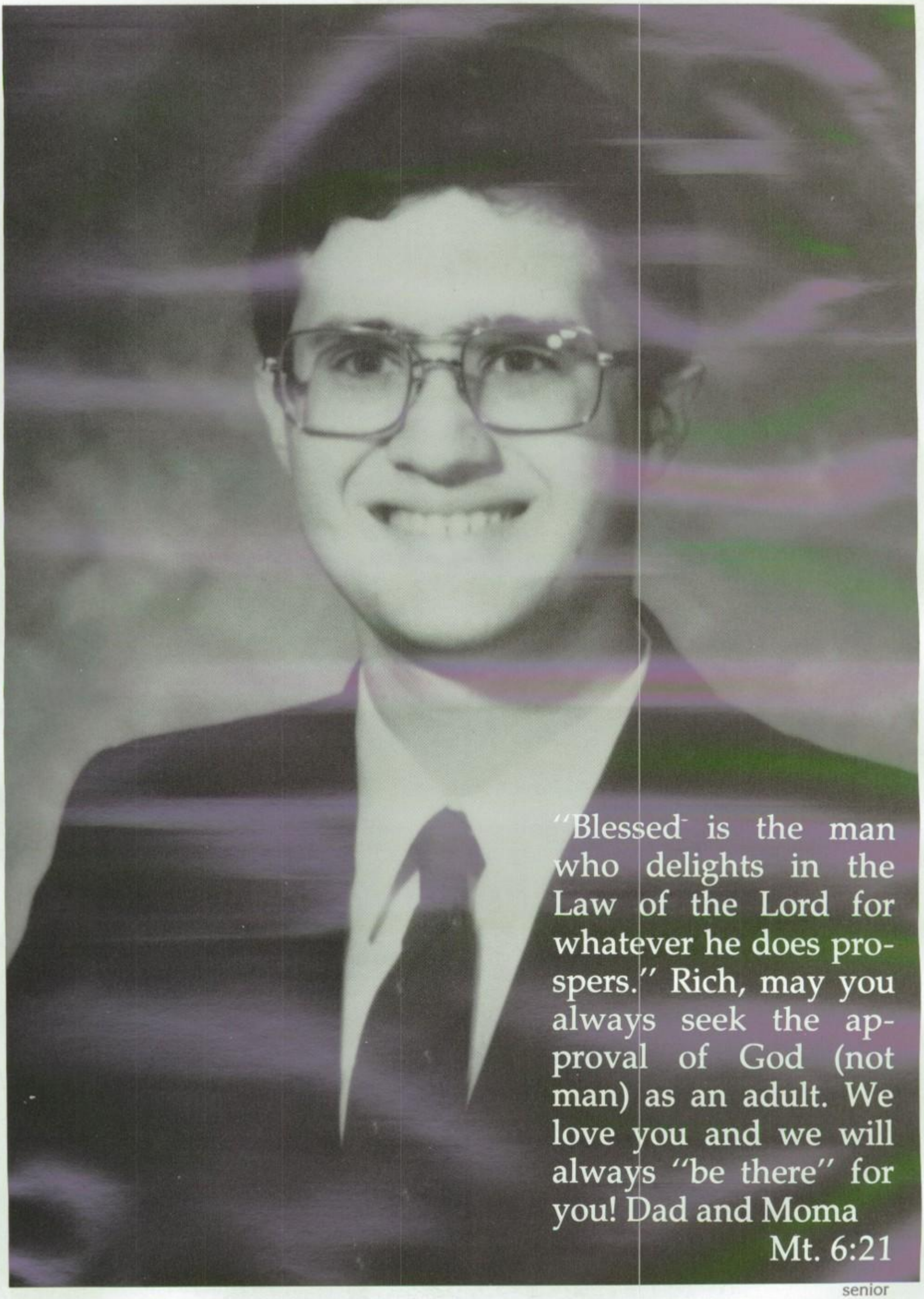
You made it, Carol!

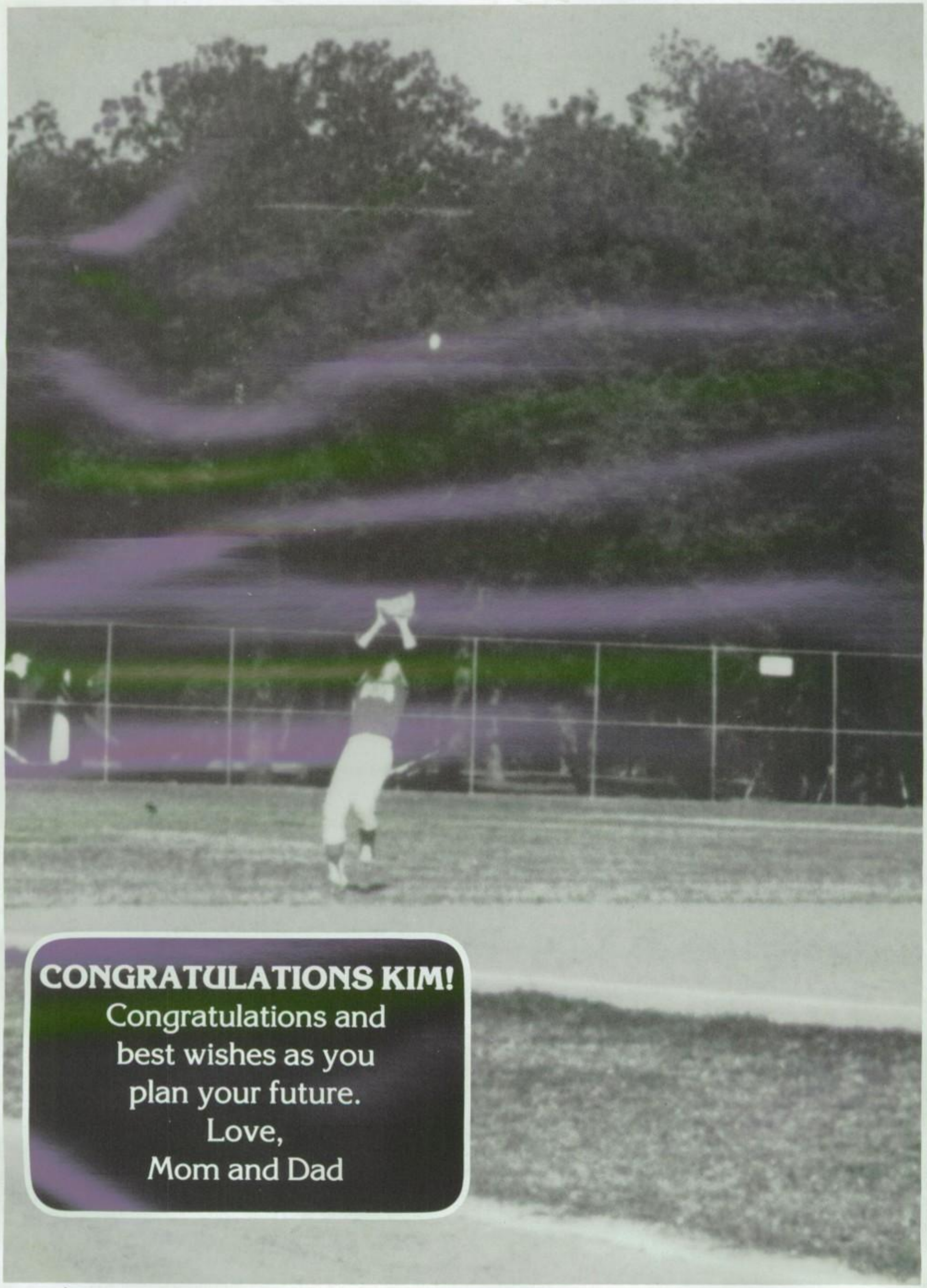
We Love You,
Dad, Mom, Andy, Grandma, and Ginny
Psalm 27:1

"Hear thou my son, and be wise, and guide thine heart in the way."
Proverbs 23:19

Our Love,
Mom and Dad

CONGRATULATIONS


"Blessed is the man who delights in the Law of the Lord for whatever he does prospers." Rich, may you always seek the approval of God (not man) as an adult. We love you and we will always "be there" for you! Dad and Moma
Mt. 6:21


CONGRATULATIONS KIM!
Congratulations and
best wishes as you
plan your future.
Love,
Mom and Dad

As the proud editor of this edition of the Cornerstone, I would like to thank some of the people who have greatly supported me this year.

First, I would like to thank the staff. We were such a special combination. Thanks for all your hard work, Sharon, and you too, Chris. Thomas, Jennifer and Kim, I feel like I'm leaving the book in good hands. Good luck to you all, and a special, "Good Luck" to you, Misti! I'm really going to miss you all!

I also want to thank my teachers, my family, Laurel, Deana, Allison and Heather for being so understanding when yearbook started getting me down.

Finally, I want to thank Miss Karin Fary. Without her compassion and patience, this book would never have made it to press. You could always put me in my place and find me when I "drifted." Thanks for giving me the chance I've always dreamed of, being the Editor-in-Chief of the Cornerstone. You've taught me so much. I'll never forget you. Remember to pray for me and the Baylor yearbook staff!!!

Sincerely.

Peggy Sterling

Peggy Sterling,
Editor of the 1987 Cornerstone

Thomas Thompson gives his GQ look for the camera.

Misti Cutsinger and Miss Fary try to persuade Chris Coggins to get back to work.

Jannifer Blanton just loves to be interrupted from working on a deadline.

The 87 *Cornerstone* Staff: Sharon Riffe, Misti Cutsinger, Kim Wilson, Chris Coggins, Peggy Sterling, and sponsor Karin Fary find time to play after a deadline.

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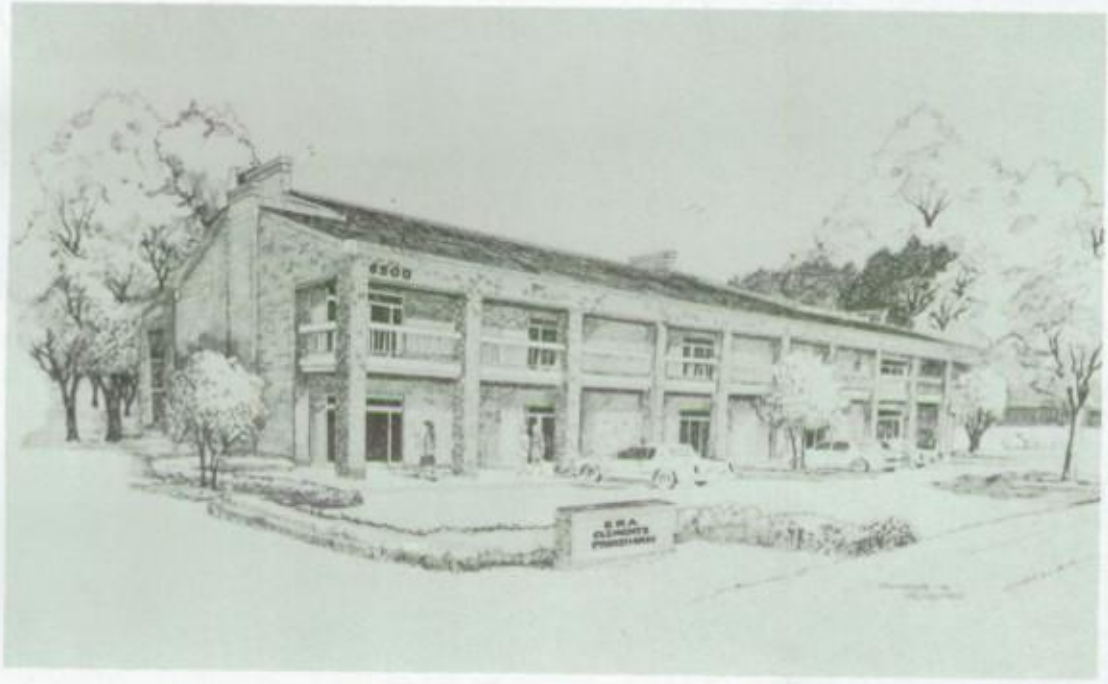
Best Wishes to the Class of 1987



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Kelly Jami
Amanda
Jamie Miata
Amy Sonja

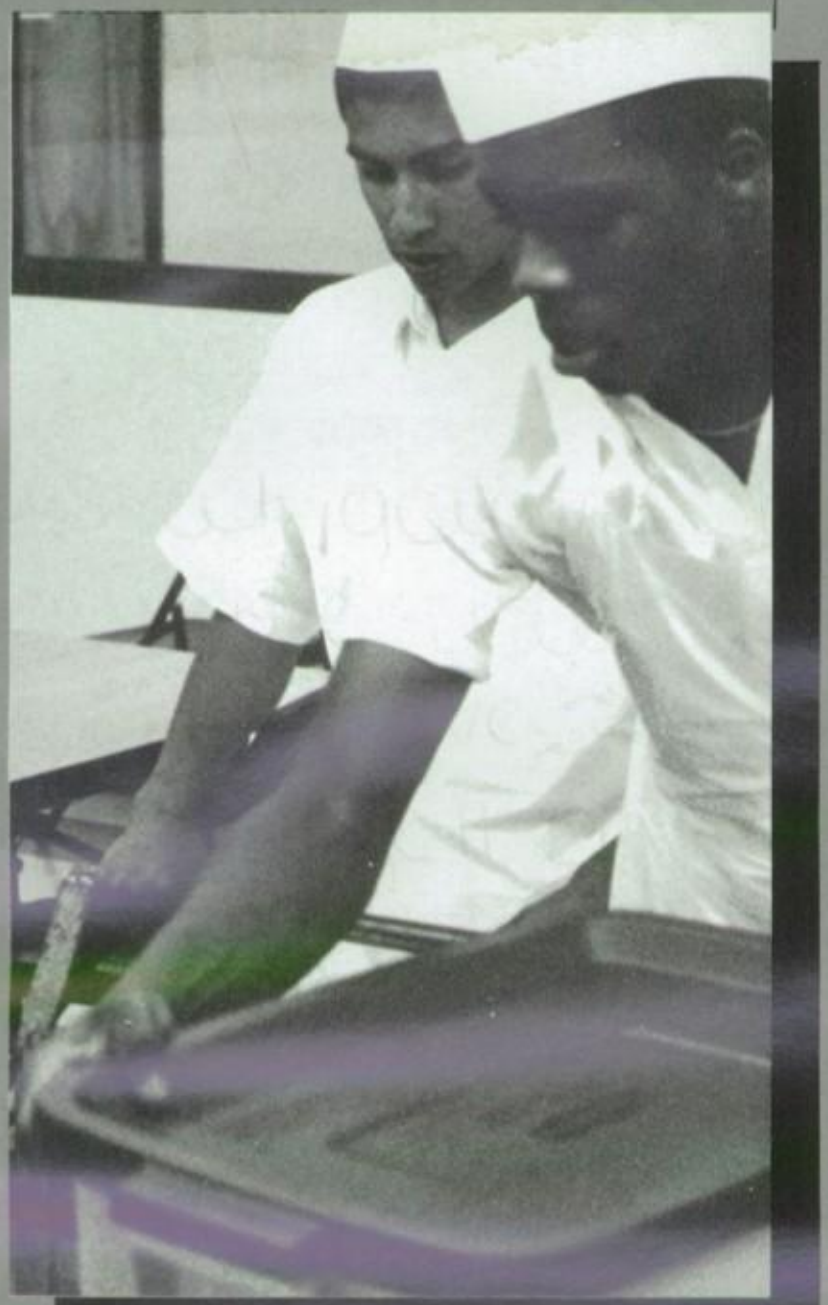
You did it!

. . . and we're so proud

As you move on to college and set new goals, we will be thinking of you, praying for you and remembering the way you influenced our lives.

Peggy
Sharon
and
Chris

Congratulations!
The Cornerstone Staff



Fabian Ryans works hard for the money raised at the football spaghetti luncheon with the help of teammate, John Torres.

The flaghangers and cheerleaders display their unity with a post-game prayer.

Kristen Estes hides her nervousness as she delivers the speech that won the office of Student Council Vice-President for 1987-88.

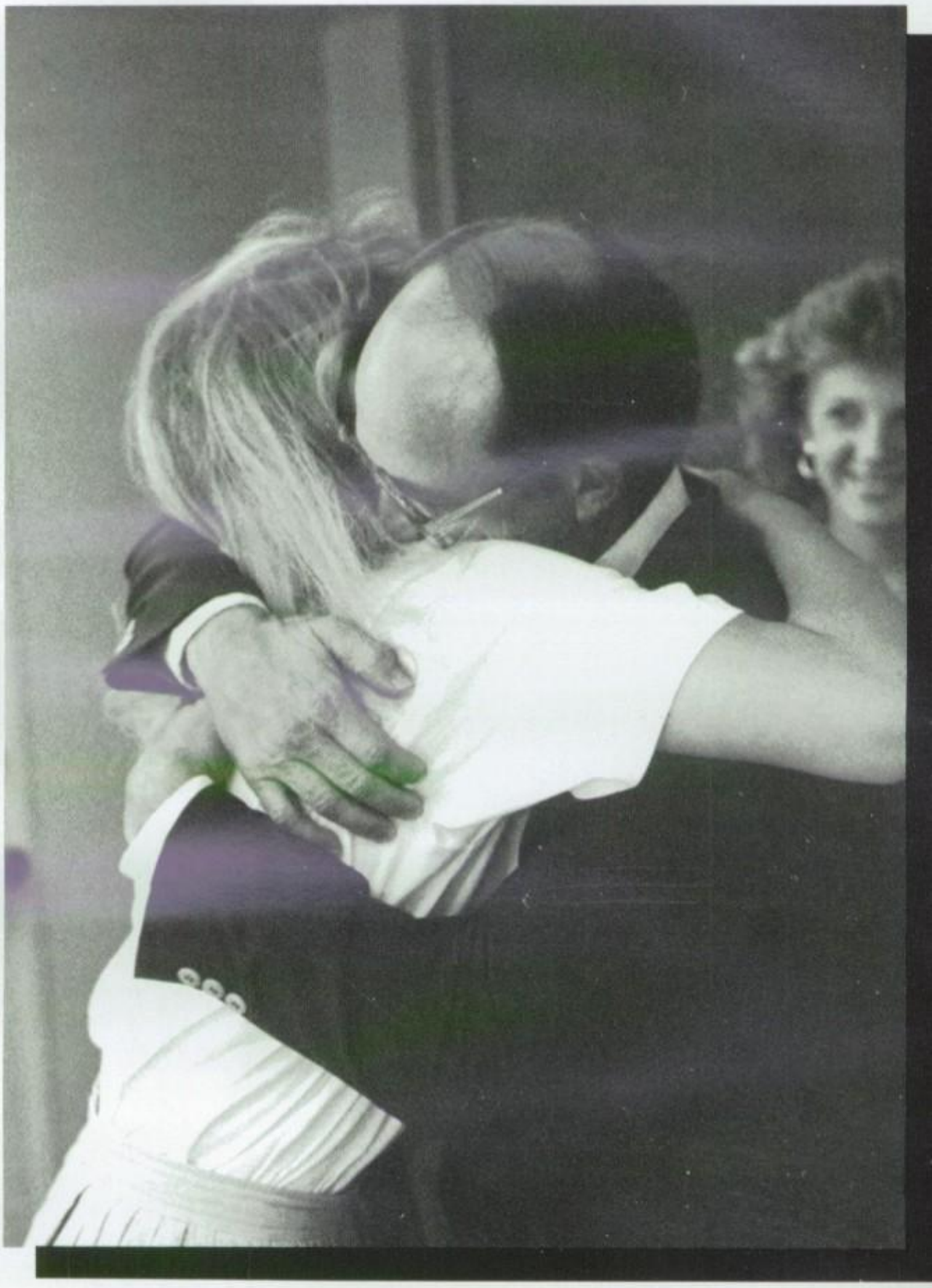
Junior-Senior committee members Matt Bryant, Jason Petty and Keith Youngblood disrupt decorating by wearing the table centerpieces.

As the school year closed, what had seemed so strange at the beginning of the year, actually became routine.

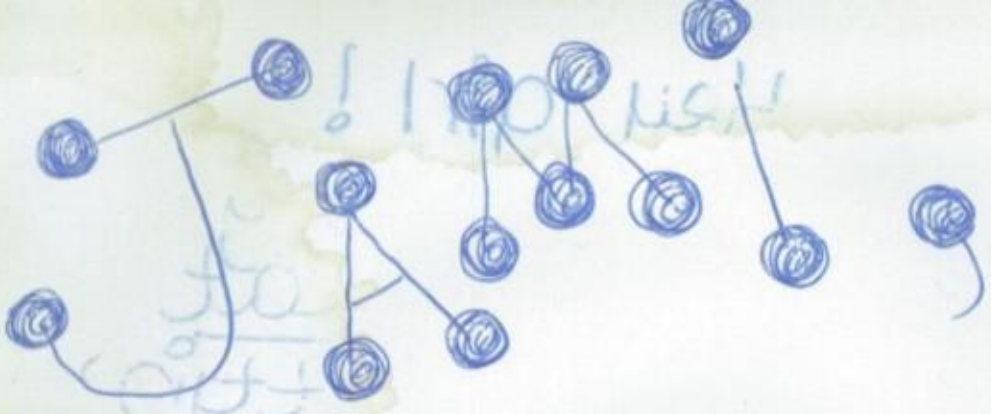
Everyone accepted the new look of the eleventh floor and the major change of the year — uniforms.

Not one student died of a horrible disease caused by the wearing of St. Agnes polyester.

The key to this whole year was **UNITY**. Through these changes, the classes grew closer together as they learned to adapt because whether it was wearing polyester, cheering for our teams in Waco, slaving over term papers or eating in the Saint Center, everyone knew, "We're all in this together."



Coach David Melton congratulates one of his four-year sports veterans, Staci Runnels and wishes her luck in collegiate athletics.



Hey how's it going? These past 2½ years have been great! I ♡ U so much! We've had so many great times together! So many memories! Cheerleading tryouts, games, S.M.U camps, our summer fun + ♡'s! our school fantasies + even looking back on Jr. + Sr. well lets just say it's good for a laugh!! all the D.ville memories, the Ranch, London + all our years at F.B.A! OH well you know all my thoughts + I have to go!!!

— ♡ —

Amanda

P.S. LET'S PARTY THIS YEAR!

Hey girl! I've really had a great time gettin' to know ya over the past few years. Ur a real party animal! I hope that you have a wonderful sophomore year! Really, I cannot believe that we made to our 10th grade year! Welp, I still hope that we can become better friends this year! U make a great cheerleader! Keep ^ the good work! Welp, I just wanted to say Hi so, "Hi!"

♡-n-hugs!

♡Shandra

keep partyin'!

We're All In
This
Together